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Review of the Twenty-fourth Continental Congress

(Continued from May issue)

The Thursday morning session was called to order by the President General at 10.12 o'clock. The Rev. Henry Noble Couden, Chaplain of the House of Representatives, conducted the devotional exercises.

The minutes of the morning session of Wednesday were read by the Recording Secretary General and approved. The Recording Secretary General wishes to state that through a typographical error she read the vote cast for Recording Secretary General as 691 when it should have been 699.

The report of the chairman on Revolutionary Relics was next called for by the President General. While Mrs. Dearborn was being sought for, the report next on the program, that of transportation, was asked for. The President General stated that Mrs. Goldsborough was endeavoring to locate her first vice chairman because she felt that Mrs. Parham was entitled to the credit for the very fine work accomplished. The President General referred to the work that had been done day after day all the year around by this committee on transportation. After presenting the report of the Committee on Transportation Mrs. Goldsborough stated they had not only paid all expenses for the Guide, etc.,

as was done the year before, but that she had in her hand \$200 to hand over to the President General, which the President General accepted in the name of the National Society and turned over to the Treasurer General to be applied to the reduction of the debt on Memorial Continental Hall. The motion to adopt the report was seconded by Mrs. Tarbell and carried. Mrs. Goldsborough having reported with regard to the official tour to the coast in September, the State regent of Colorado presented an invitation from the Daughters of the State of Colorado and of Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Canon City, Salida and Grand Junction, to be their guests and accept their hospitality while en route. The President General presented an invitation from Mrs. Phoebe Hearst to all the Daughters on the Official Tour to be her guests for one day—Utah, Missouri, Texas and Ohio also extended invitations. Moved by Mrs. Hodge, seconded by Mrs. Brant, and carried, that a rising vote of thanks be tendered to the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Transportation Committee for their splendid work. Also moved by Mrs. Selden, seconded by Mrs. Blood, and carried, that a vote of thanks be extended by this the Twenty-fourth Continental

Congress to all who have extended their cordial invitations as they tour to California, and that the Secretary be instructed to extend a vote of thanks to Mrs. Hearst.

Mrs. Dearborn presented the report on Revolutionary Relics. The motion to adopt the report was seconded by Mrs. Boyle and carried. Mrs. William Lindsay, Honorary Vice-President General from Kentucky, presented a portrait of James and Sarah Nourse, the gift of Miss Nourse, a member of the Revolutionary Relics Committee, to that committee, to be hung in the Virginia room.

The State regent of the District of Columbia also presented to the Revolutionary Relics Committee given by Mr. C. C. Magruder, Jr., through the Magruder Chapter, a piece of the dress worn by Mrs. John Ramsey, wife of Surgeon John Ramsey at the Peace Ball in Williamsburg at the close of the Revolutionary War. Mrs. Harvey Tyson White, of Manhattan Chapter, New York City, presented to the committee the original accounts and books kept by Benjamin Stevens, Commissary at Hartford, Connecticut, during the Revolutionary War.

Mr. Herbert A. Smith, editor of Forest Service, spoke on the meaning of Conservation.

The official reader announced the receipt of telegrams for various delegates in the house, and read a few urgent notices, the President General stating that she had received many requests for permission to present invitations to various meetings and social functions, and at the close of the session the time would be given for the introduction of those invitations and the opportunity given to members to speak to the invitations.

Mrs. Allen presented the report on Conservation, and the motion to adopt was seconded by Mrs. Draper and carried. A rising vote of thanks was given Mr. Smith.

The President General stated that she had received a message that some of the newly-elected National Officers would be unable to be present at the evening

session, and she would therefore present some of the National Officers at that time. Mrs. Richardson moved that before we meet the incoming officers we move a vote of thanks to the outgoing officers for their work during the past year. This motion was put and carried.

The President General then introduced Mrs. Burrows, Corresponding Secretary General; Mrs. Smoot, Organizing Secretary General; Mrs. Sternberg, Librarian General. A telegram was read from Mrs. John F. Swift, re-elected Vice-President General, presenting her compliments to the Congress and expressing her regret that sickness in the family prevented her attendance. Mrs. John Lee Dinwiddie, re-elected Vice-President General from Indiana, Mrs. Kent Hamilton, Vice-President General from Ohio, and Mrs. Samuel McKnight Green, Vice-President General from Missouri, were also introduced. Mrs. Brookmire, regent of the largest chapter in Missouri, on a question of privilege, stated, as the term of Mrs. Ben F. Gray, Jr., was drawing to a close, Missouri desired to voice before the Congress her enormous debt of obligation and gratitude to Mrs. Gray for her wonderfully effective service for many years, both in the interests of the State of Missouri and the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the President General responding that Congress would wish to join Missouri in standing in honor of Mrs. Ben Gray, who had so faithfully served the National Society.

Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster, Vice-President General from Georgia; Miss Natalie Sumner Lincoln, newly-elected editor of the magazine, were also introduced. Mrs. Lockwood, re-elected Chaplain General, on being presented, among other things stated that she had served the Society for 25 years, and if the Lord was willing she would serve it 25 years longer.

Mrs. Dunning, Chairman of Patriotic Education, presented the report of that

committee, and stated that the second part of the report had been put in charge of the Sub-Committee on Southern Mountain Schools, and the Chairman, Mrs. John Barrow, not being able to be present, her report would be read by Mrs. Harris, the Vice-Chairman.

Miss Crowell, State regent of Pennsylvania, asked the courtesy of the house for the following motion—that an expression of appreciation of the unfailing interest and devotion of her services for her eight years of service on the National Board be tendered Mrs. Allen P. Perley, Vice-President General. This was seconded by Mrs. Rand, put and carried.

Mrs. Edward L. Harris then read the report for Mrs. Barrow, after which Miss Martha Berry was presented and told the Congress of the boys and girls attending the school in the Ozarks.

Mrs. James T. Morris then gave her address on Old Rail Fence Corners, and presented to the President General for the Library a copy of the book published by the Minnesota Daughters.

Mrs. Schuyler, of New York, moved that a telegram of regret at the absence of Mrs. Joseph S. Wood, Vice-President General from New York, who had been called to Colorado by the serious illness of her son, be sent by this Congress. This was carried.

A telegram of congratulation was read from Mrs. Rhett Goode, Vice-President General from Alabama, in which she also expressed her appreciation, and pledged her very best efforts; also a telegram of congratulation from the Honorary President General, Mrs. Manning.

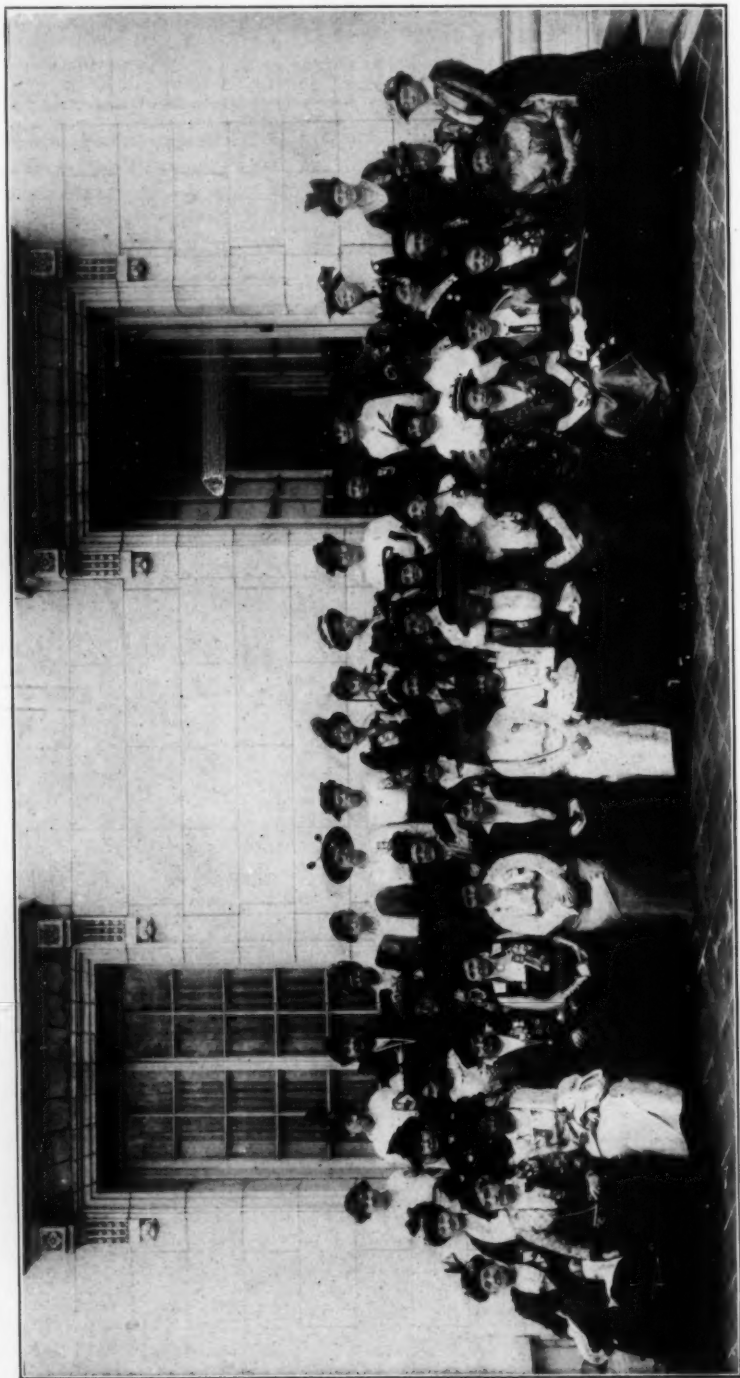
A notice was read from the Treasurer General calling attention to the typographical error on page 6 in 1913 Liquidation and Endowment Fund, which should read \$2,340.40.

Telegrams of congratulation and greeting were read from Mrs. Stevens, President of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and from the Ohio Society, Sons of the American Revolution,

in annual meeting. Also an announcement from the Illinois State Chairman of Transportation of a side trip into Virginia. At 1:05 p. m. it was moved and carried to take a recess.

The afternoon session was called to order by the President General at 2:35. The report of the Committee on Publication was presented by the Chairman, Mrs. George D. Chenoweth, and Mrs. Margaret L. H. Hicks, Chairman of the Committee on Children and Sons of the Republic, asked that the Official Reader read her report.

Miss Richards, Chairman of Committee on Resolutions, asked for instructions as to the duties of her committee; first, whether resolutions were to be presented through her committee, or, under the head of new business, they might be offered from the floor without having first gone to the Committee on Resolutions. The delegates were instructed to send their resolutions to the Committee on Resolutions, and only such resolutions as are so hastily gotten up as to make it impossible to communicate with the committee should be presented from the floor. The Chairman wishes, second, to know whether the committee was to exercise any discretion as to the presentation of resolutions, as already resolutions had reached the committee which, if presented to the Congress, would precipitate undesirable discussions on the floor. The President General stated that the Congress had confidence in the committee and in its broad experience and fairness, and if a member wished to present a resolution that had not been presented by the Committee on Resolutions she might herself present it from the floor under the head of new business. Miss Richards read the names of her committee, and requested that they meet her in the lobby at once. Mrs. Howard, of Texas, presented a resolution, seconded by the State regent of Colorado, in regard to the use of goods made in the United States, which resolution was referred to the Committee on Resolutions.



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NEW JERSEY DELEGATION.

Mrs. Anthony Wayne Cook asked the privilege of including in her report the recommendation which had been left out regarding the presentation to each living Honorary President General of a pin like the one to be retained by the President General. Moved by Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Mrs. Abbott, that Mrs. Ames of Illinois be asked to make her request for information which she made when it was not in order this morning. Carried. Mrs. Ransdell requested that Mrs. Bryan, the bookkeeper, be asked to come forward to give the desired information. The figures showing the status of the debt from the beginning were displayed on a large sheet at the front of the platform. Mrs. Bryan tried to make it clear to the members that the fiscal year of the Society, being from April 1st to March 31st, and the books having closed for the year, any reduction of the debt during the latter part of the week of Congress and reported to the Congress by the Treasurer General, would be shown in the printed report to be presented to the Congress of the next year. Many members took part in the discussion in the effort to make the fact plain that as the fiscal year and the official year close with different dates, it was impossible to reconcile statements made by the Treasurer General in her printed report with the report of what took place at the Congress, three weeks after her books were closed (as shown in the Congressional Proceedings). Mrs. Page, State regent of Illinois, stated for Mrs. Ames and the Daughters of Illinois generally, that the inquiry for information was only that the information might be supplied, and not in any sense intended as a criticism or a reflection upon any one. The President General took occasion to call to the attention of every member of the Society the fact that the offices of the National Society were open to every member of the Society, and information on any point could be obtained at the different offices of the Society. Moved by Mrs. Orton, seconded

by Mrs. Dinwiddie, that the statement of the Treasurer General be printed and distributed. Carried.

Miss Fletcher presented to Miss Finch a ring as a token of loyalty and esteem from her many friends of the Twenty-fourth Continental Congress. Miss McDuffee also added a word to the presentation.

Mrs. George B. Macfarlane, chairman, presented the report of the Committee to Prevent the Desecration of the Flag. Moved by Mrs. Macfarlane, seconded by Mrs. Lane, that the report be adopted. Carried. The chairman announced that Mrs. Langstroth of New Jersey would present the resolutions, which were referred to the Committee on Resolutions. Moved by Mrs. Taylor of Georgia, and seconded by Mrs. Smead of Pennsylvania that the newspapers be requested to publish the report of the Committee to Prevent the Desecration of the Flag as fully as possible.

Mrs. Robert T. Reineman, chairman, presented the report on Preservation of Historic Spots.

Mrs. Edwin C. Gregory, chairman, presented the report on the Preservation of the Home of John Paul Jones, introducing to the Congress Miss Ursula Daniel, the vice-chairman of the committee, who was so largely interested in the project. The President General stated that the recommendations contained in the report would be referred to the Committee in Charge of Recommendations of the National Officers. Moved by Mrs. Gregory, seconded by Mrs. Dinwiddie, that report be adopted. Carried. The President General called on Mrs. George T. Smallwood, Chairman of Patriots Memorial School Committee, for the report of that committee. Moved by Mrs. Smallwood, seconded by Mrs. Minor, that report be adopted. Carried. Many of the members expressed their approval of the proposition to accept the offer of North Carolina and locate the school there. The claims of other sections for the school were also put forth by delegates from one or more

States. Mrs. J. Morgan Smith presented the recommendations of the National Board of Management to recommend the placing of the Patriots Memorial School in North Carolina, adding a definite proposition as submitted by the Daughters of North Carolina. This recommendation was referred to the Committee in Charge of Recommendations.

Mrs. Samuel Spencer presented the report of the Building and Grounds Committee.

Miss Susan B. Willard, State Chairman for Massachusetts, presented the report of the National Chairman on the National Old Trails Road Committee. This report had already been printed and was distributed through the house.

At 5:55, recess was taken.

The Thursday evening session was called to order by the President General at 8:30.

The reading of State reports was continued. Ohio, Mrs. Hamilton; Wyoming, Mrs. Patten; Louisiana, Mrs. Wallis. The State regent of Louisiana also presented to Memorial Continental Hall from the Louisiana Daughters, a Chickering concert grand piano; Mrs. Ransdell sang Dixie, because she wished to be the first Louisianan to sing to the accompaniment of the beautiful gift of Louisiana.

The report of Arizona was again called for, neither the State regent or State vice-regent responding, nor did California have a representative present to read the report from that State. In calling for the State report from Delaware, the President General referred to the serious illness of Mrs. Hall's husband, which had prevented the State regent from attending the Congress.

Mrs. Frissell, State regent from Florida, explained that she had filed the report from Florida with the Recording Secretary General, so that it might appear in the printed proceedings. The report of Idaho, Mrs. Charles Pursell, State regent, was next called for, no one responding. In calling for the report of Illinois, the President General requested

that Mrs. Lawrence, former State regent of Illinois, also come to the platform. Mrs. Fitzwilliams, acting regent of Chicago Chapter, presented a valuable historic clock to the Illinois Room, from Mrs. Susan Evans Duvall. Mrs. Goddard, of Freeport, sang "Illinois."

Virginia, Mrs. Maupin, State regent. Mrs. Wm. Norton, regent of Mt. Vernon Chapter, presented a portrait of George Washington, which is to be hung in the Virginia room, and announced the purchase of 15 feet of land by Mrs. Eleanor S. Washington Howard for her children and grandchildren. Mrs. Purcell, regent of Commonwealth Chapter, presented a silk State flag, a personal gift from Governor Stuart of Virginia. The song, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," was sung by Mrs. Unverzant, of Virginia.

The President General introduced the National Officers who had not already been presented to the Congress: Mrs. Boyle, Recording Secretary General; Miss Grace M. Pierce, Registrar General; Mrs. Joseph E. Ransdell, Treasurer General. Moved by Mrs. Ransdell seconded by Mrs. Minor, that the Treasurer General be empowered by vote of the Congress to transfer \$20,000 to the permanent fund. This, the Treasurer General stated, with the contributions already made during the Congress, would be enough to take up five bonds, thus reducing the debt to \$50,000. The motion was carried.

The President General then presented Mrs. Augsbury, newly-elected Historian General; Mrs. Orton, Jr., Director General in Charge of Report to Smithsonian Institution; Miss Catherine B. Barlow, Curator General.

The report of Kentucky was then presented by Mrs. Glore, State regent, and "My Old Kentucky Home" sung.

The President General introduced also the newly-elected Vice-President Generals, Mrs. Wm. H. Thompson, of Kentucky; Mrs. Moody, of Delaware; Mrs. Smith, of West Virginia; Mrs. Thomas, of Colorado, and requested Mrs. Kite,

Vice-President General from Ohio to take the chair. Mrs. William Haines Smith presented in behalf of Mrs. Deborah Anna Miller from West Virginia, a clock to be hung in the West Virginia Room.

The report for Tennessee was presented by Mrs. Baxter, State regent, followed by the presentation from the Cumberland Chapter, of Nashville, through Mrs. Hicks, of a mirror which formerly hung in the law office of President Polk, 11th President of the United States, and a framed picture of the house still standing in Columbia, Tenn., in which was the office of Mr. Polk.

The State flag of Maine was presented by Mrs. Robinson, State regent, the State flags for Nevada and California being presented and explained by Miss Catherine Barlow, Custodian of Flags, in the absence of the respective State regents. The State flag of South Dakota was presented by the State regent, Mrs. Keator, and Mrs. McCleary, State regent of Washington, presented the State flag which the Daughters had adopted for the State of Washington in the absence of an official State flag.

The report for South Dakota was presented by the State regent, Mrs. Keator.

Mrs. Dunning, as Chairman of Massachusetts Room Committee, presented a number of beautiful gifts for the Massachusetts Room, from members of Massachusetts chapters. The following State reports were then given: Maine, Mrs. Robinson; Rhode Island, Mrs. Bowen; Pennsylvania, Miss Crowell. Mrs. McWilliams stated in the absence of a report from the Orient that the one chapter in the Philippines had already given over \$700 in the three lines of work engaged in by that chapter.

At 11:05, Congress adjourned until 10 o'clock Friday morning.

The Friday morning session of the 24th Congress was called to order by the President General at 10:15, April 23, 1915. Rabbi Abram Simon conducted the devotional exercises.

The Recording Secretary General

read the minutes for the afternoon and evening sessions of April 21. Approved. Moved by Mrs. Draper, seconded by Mrs. Boorman, that the reading of the rest of the minutes be deferred until to-morrow morning. Carried.

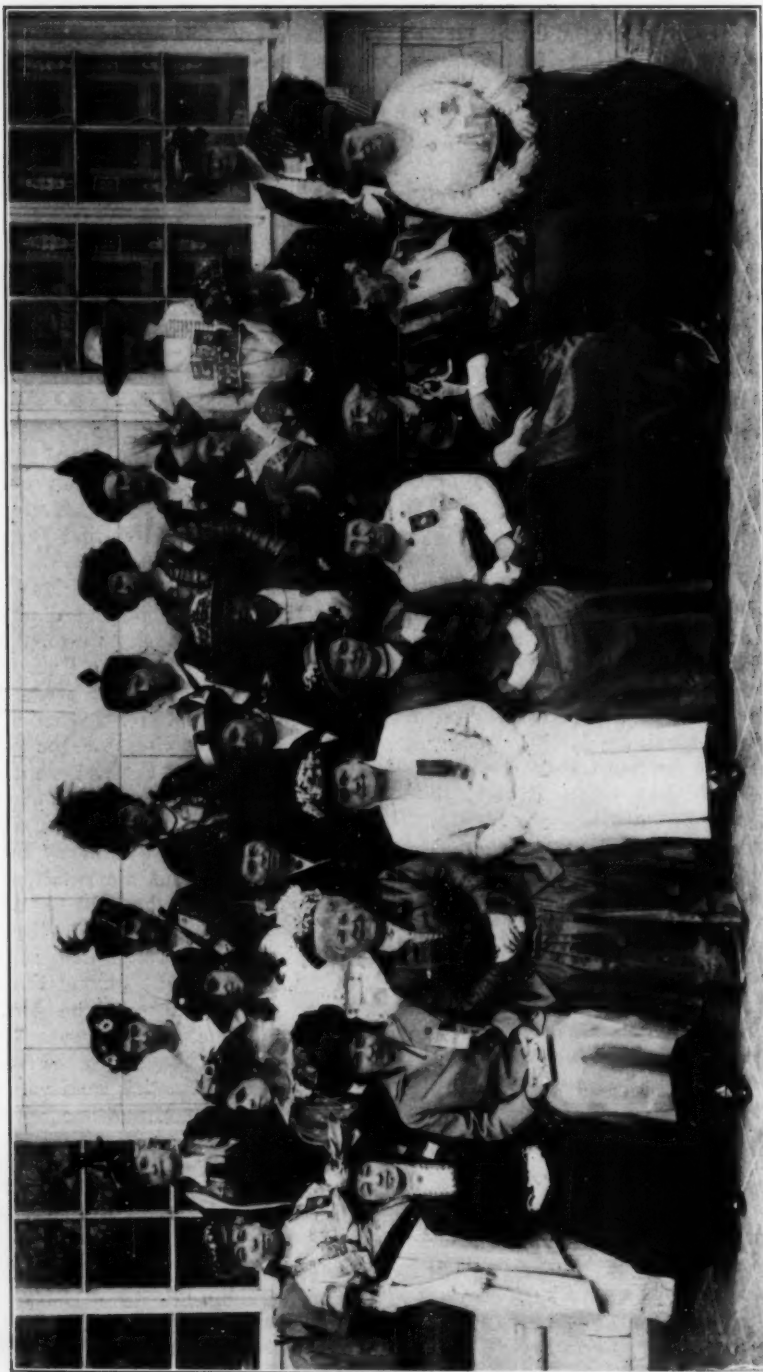
Moved by Miss Richards, seconded by Miss Hollerman, that the members of the Congress seated in the galleries be invited to the vacant seats on the floor, amended to permit the ladies seated at the rear to come forward. Carried.

Moved by Mrs. Buel, seconded by Mrs. Morse, that the confirmation of State regents and State vice-regents be now made a special order of the day. Carried.

The President General stated that she had taken it for granted that when it was generally known and understood by the members of the National Board of Management, understood to the members of Memorial Continental Hall Committee that the National Board presents a recommendation that no recommendation along those particular lines would be introduced, inasmuch as a resolution had already been offered from the floor relating to the paying for the certificates the President General went over the details of the conference she had had with the representative of Caldwell in the presence of the attorney for the National Society and the result of the conference had been brought to the National Board and approved—that the certificates be paid for *as they are sold* (10 per cent. for the payment of the certificates) this to continue for five years—at the end of five years, if the certificates are not paid for, the Society to pay for the remaining certificates.

Moved by Mrs. Minor, seconded by Mrs. Abbott, that the mailing of the Block certificates be made through the National Society from Washington.

Moved by Mrs. Fitzwilliam, seconded by Mrs. Draper, that the action in regard to the mailing of Block certificates from Washington instead of Chicago, be postponed until the opening of the afternoon session. Carried.



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KANSAS DELEGATION.

The Chairman of Transportation, on a question of personal privilege, asked to be permitted to add \$8.47, making \$208.47 turned over to the President General from the Transportation Committee, for the reduction of the debt on Memorial Continental Hall.

Special order of business called for. List of State regents and State vice-regents not quite completed, regular order of business be proceeded with.

Mrs. Daniel Lothrop, Chairman, presented the report of the Children of the American Revolution.

Moved by Mrs. Lothrop, seconded by Mrs. Emig, that the report be adopted. Carried.

A delightful interruption was caused by the appearance of the pages in the middle aisle and on the platform. Miss Dandridge, on behalf of the President General's pages, presented to the President General a lorgnette and set neck slides with their love and affection. Miss Dreisbach, on behalf of the floor pages, presented to the President General a silver mesh bag, and to Miss Finch and Miss Fletcher tokens of their appreciation of the kindness of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Pages. There was also presented to the National Society by Mrs. Ernest A. Allan, for the Col. Dummer Sewall Chapter, of Maine, \$50, to have the name of the President General inscribed in the Honor Book.

The Chairman of Committee on Recommendations, Mrs. Gedney, wished to know when her report would come in, no place being provided on the program for it. The President General stated that the report of this committee would be in order on Saturday immediately prior to unfinished business.

Mrs. Lothrop announced that she had started a majority fund in the National Society, D. A. R., and that Mrs. Boyle, Recording Secretary General, was the first to contribute to it, having arranged and paid for the dues of her grandson, Billie Bolger, and his sister, Abigail Rozelle, who are paid up until they reach their majorities.

The Official Reader read the list of the newly-elected State regents and State vice-regents. Four States found their names not on the list, owing to the fact that the officers had been elected for a two-year term. In compliance with their request, the Organizing Secretary General sent to have these names added to the list, and while this was being done, the report of the Committee on the Eugenia Washington, Founder, Memorial was called for. Miss Anna Maxwell Jones, Chairman, presented the report and introduced the Secretary and Treasurer of the committee, who read the list of donations already received. At the close of this reading a very generous contribution was offered by the members, chapters, and States.

The list of newly-elected State regents and State vice-regents being now complete, the additions having been entered and read, it was moved by Mrs. Bryan, seconded by Miss Wingate, that the names of all State regents and State vice-regents be confirmed. Carried. The list of Honorary State regents was also read and it was moved and seconded that these elections be confirmed. Carried.

Mrs. Schuyler, on a question of personal privilege, stated that she had been asked to present the gavel which she held in her hand. That it was made of a piece of wood from the hickory grove at the "old Williams home" in North Carolina, is presented to our beloved President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, by Mrs. Charles Fisher Taylor, regent of David Williams Chapter, of Goldsboro, North Carolina, and the bunch of violets presented at the same time came from Mrs. Taylor's home. The President General stated that, though the gavel was presented to her personally, she would take great pleasure in using it on behalf of the Society.

The Hospitality Committee, Mrs. Al-line, Chairman, made the announcement, by the President General, that there was a surplus from the banquet given Wednesday night, of \$105. The

Chairman stated that the Hospitality Committee left the disposition of the sum to the discretion of the President General. The President General stated that she would assign it to the reduction of the debt on Memorial Continental Hall. Many pledges toward the purchase of land were made at this time.

The State regent of Illinois asked the privilege of presenting at that time a chair in honor of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott. Moved by Mrs. Howard, seconded by Mrs. Tarbell, that Mrs. George T. Page be allowed the courtesy of the floor to present this chair. Carried. This Mrs. Page then did, the President General accepting the chair for the Indiana Room in honor of the Honorary President General, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott.

More pledges for the purchase of land were then made. Mrs. Squires made the suggestion that each of the 48 States take 100 feet of land, have the whole year to pay for it, and that Minnesota would be one of the States to take the 100 feet, in addition to what it had already taken, if each of the other States would take 100 feet. Mrs. Lothrop stated she would be responsible for Massachusetts to raise the money for her 100 feet. Other States and chapters and individuals have made generous pledges for land—they come to the front every few minutes—most welcome interruptions. Mrs. Schuyler, Chairman of Committee on Revision of the Statutes, presented the report of that committee. The adoption of the report was moved by Mrs. Schuyler, seconded by Mrs. Davis, and carried.

Mrs. Schuyler, on a question of personal privilege, tendered all delegates and members an invitation to view a copy of a magnificent picture of Washington at Wanamaker's next Friday afternoon, New York City, and on Thursday afternoon an invitation to attend the Regent Day of the Manhattan Chapter at the Waldorf Astoria. Announcement was made of the reception of the C. A. R. at 1710 I street, also the annual

Saturday pilgrimage to Mt. Vernon, April 24, 1915.

On motion, adjourned at 1 o'clock.

The Friday afternoon session was called to order at 2:25 by the President General.

More pledges for land were made—the President General said that she had not the heart to refuse these gifts, no matter when they were made.

The President General stated that in accordance with the motion carried at the morning session the consideration of the recommendation of the National Board of Management as to the form of payment for the certificates on the Block plan would be in order; after that would come the introduction of the resolutions through the Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions.

The President General gave the details of the conference held with the representative of the Caldwell Company in the presence of the attorney for the Society, which resulted in the presentation of the recommendation which was passed by the National Board of Management, and after giving the recommendation, stated that the recommendation was before the house. Mrs. Potter, of Pennsylvania, asked to be permitted to make a statement. Moved by Mrs. Sternberg, Chairman of Finance Committee, seconded by Mrs. Davis, that the recommendation of the National Board of Management be adopted. Mrs. Sternberg, as the mover of the motion, was recognized and spoke in favor of her motion. After much discussion, it developed that the recommendation as submitted by the Board was perfectly agreeable to the Caldwell Company, in consequence of which statement Mrs. Block stated that the arrangement was therefore perfectly satisfactory to her. After some further discussion, the previous question was moved by Mrs. Draper, seconded by Miss Wilcox, and carried. There being expressed a desire on the part of many members to further debate the matter, Mrs. Draper, after explaining why she had moved the previous

question, moved to reconsider the moving of the previous question. The motion, duly seconded, was put and lost. The motion on the adoption of the recommendation was now put and carried. Mrs. Block here tendered her resignation as Chairman of the Liquidation and Endowment Fund Committee, to take effect at once, which action the President General deplored and requested that the Congress do not accept her resignation. The motion of Mrs. Minor

Miss Richards, and variously seconded, with the exception of the resolution regarding insignia for Charter Members, referred to the Insignia Committee on motion of Mrs. Hogan, seconded by Mrs. Kite and carried. The resolution to requite all Daughters to remove their hats during the sessions of the Congress was, on motion of Mrs. Draper, seconded by Mrs. Brayton, and carried, referred to the House Committee of the next Congress.



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VERMONT DELEGATION.

that the mailing of the Block certificates be made through the National Society from Washington was then put and carried. Moved by Mrs. Bryan, seconded by Mrs. Thompson, that a vote of thanks be given Mrs. Block for her work, and that we give her all the encouragement possible. Carried.

Miss Richards, Chairman of Committee on Resolutions, next presented her report, which was adopted on motion of

Moved by Mrs. Draper, seconded and carried, that the recommendation from the National Board that Mrs. McWilliams be relieved of the liability with regard to the Nathan Hale bust be adopted.

Mrs. Wiles, Chairman, presented the report of the Franco-American Committee. Moved by Mrs. Wiles, seconded by Mrs. Page, to adopt the report. Carried.

The Treasurer General announced the

redemption of five bonds to the value of \$25,000, thus reducing the debt to \$50,000. The Treasurer General stated that this \$25,000 would be a part of her next year's report.

Miss Wilcox presented her report as Chairman of National University. Moved by Miss Wilcox, seconded by Mrs. Minor, to adopt the report. Carried.

Mrs. Stevens, Vice-Chairman of Committee on Records, presented the report of that committee. The adoption of the report was moved by Mrs. Stevens, seconded by Mrs. Greenawalt, and carried.

Moved by Mrs. Draper, seconded by Mrs. Greenawalt, and carried, that the amendments to the by-laws be the order of the day immediately after the minutes.

Mrs. Lee, an alternate, asked the cour-

tesy of the house to introduce a suggestion to lower the dues, which, after some discussion, was granted on the motion of Mrs. McWilliams, seconded by Miss Menken. The suggestion was ruled out of order at that time.

Mrs. Charles R. Davis, Chairman of Legislation in U. S. Congress, presented her report. The adoption of the report was moved by Mrs. Davis, seconded and carried.

Moved by Mrs. Draper, seconded by Mrs. Roome, that each delegate give her name and chapter as she enters the hall. After some discussion, the previous question was called for and carried. Mrs. Draper's motion was then put and carried.

At 5:45 a recess was taken until 8 o'clock.

(To be concluded)

State Arms of New Jersey

Catherine Brittin Barlow

New Jersey, the third State to ratify the Constitution, agreed upon its Charter Rights and the form of its Constitution; it also provided for the making of its great Seal of the State.

The Legislature of the State met in the library of Princeton College and there took measures to prepare a symbol, whereby the power and sovereignty of the new born State should be recognized.

On September 6th, 1776, it was ordered by a resolution of Council that a committee of the House of the Assembly meet a Committee of the Council, to form the Great Seal.

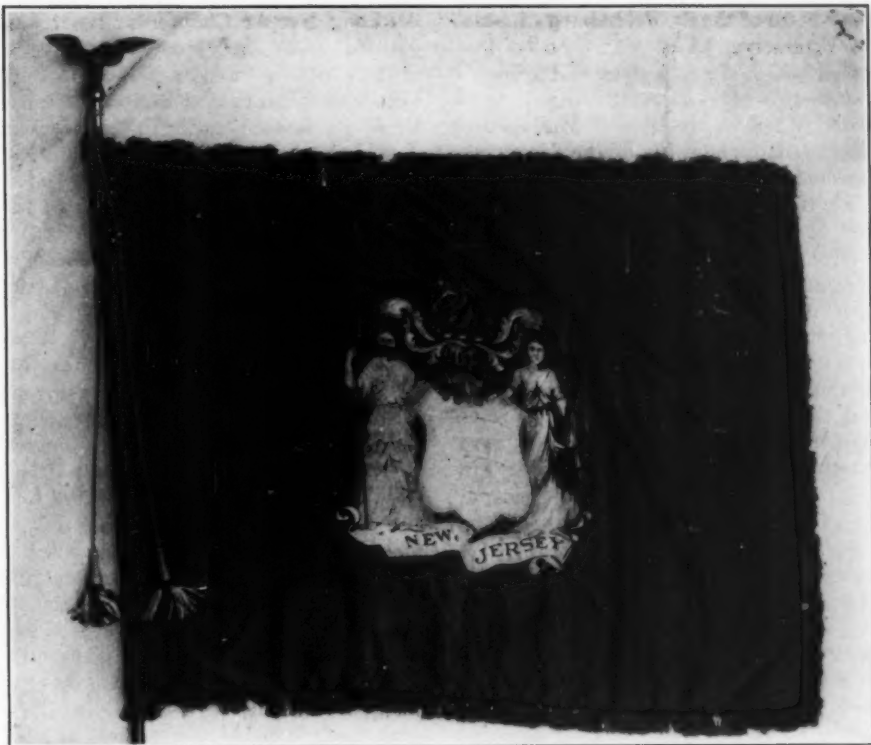
On September 10th, 1776, John Fell, patriot of Bergen, brought before the assembly this resolution, that the Arms of Governor Livingston be used until the Great Seal be made.

The artist, De Simitiere, was employed to draw the design, while preparing the seals of Virginia, Georgia and Delaware. The Seal was finished in

May, 1777, and shared the same fate of many others in the hands of printers who used great latitude in the cuts for title pages of the laws and legislative proceedings until 1850, when the design of the original Seal came into uniform practice.

For some reason, the earlier motto of New Jersey, *Onnia Vincit Labor*—"Labor Conquers All Things" has given place to Liberty and Prosperity, which simply designates the supporters. The colors of the Coat of Arms are very soft and harmonious. The figure of Liberty on the left is blue, with a phrygian cap in red; at the right is Ceres in a costume of white, red and green. The mantling is white and blue, the helmet is blue, the horses head proper. The field of the shield is blue and the plows are in silver.

The State flag of New Jersey presented to Memorial Continental Hall by the Daughters of the American Revolution of that State, has a background



STATE FLAG OF NEW JERSEY.

of blue; in the center is the Arms of the State herein described.

On March 26th, 1896, the Senate and General Assembly of the State approved the following resolutions:

1. "That the State flag shall be of blue color, having in the center thereof the arms of the State properly emblazoned thereon."

2. "The State flag shall be the headquarters flag for the Governor as Commander-in-Chief, but shall not supersede distinctive flags which are or may

hereafter be prescribed for different arms of military or naval service of this State."

3. "This act to take effect immediately."

REFERENCE. Unpublished records, through the kindness and untiring efforts of Mrs. Althea F. Randolph Bedle, ex-Vice President General, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, and widow of Gov. Joseph D. Bedle of New Jersey. The flag herein pictured was photographed by the courtesy of Adjutant General Wilbur F. Sadler, Jr., for this paper.

State Conferences

Florida

On the 4th and 5th of February, a small but enthusiastic body of women, representatives from the Florida Chapters of the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, gathered in "the Sunshine City" of St. Petersburg

for the 13th annual conference. They were the guests of the Princess Hirrihigua Chapter of that city, which had made every arrangement possible for their comfort and pleasure.

The meetings were held in the audi-

ence room of the St. Petersburg Chamber of Commerce, which was prettily decorated with numerous flags and a fine reproduction of the D. A. R. insignia three or four feet in diameter. The opening session of the morning of the fourth was devoted mainly to addresses of welcome, with the State regent, Mrs. G. C. Frissell, of Miami, presiding. A most cordial welcome was given the Florida Daughters and those from other states by the Regent of the Princess Hirrihigua Chapter, Mrs. Charles D. Hurlbert, the response being made by Mrs. Amos Norris, of the De Soto Chapter, of Tampa. This was followed by the address of the State regent. A greeting, which was most deeply appreciated, was that from Illinois, which was given by Mrs. Ames, of Chicago, at one time State regent and past Vice-President General of the National Society. Mrs. Ames is an accomplished speaker, and her charming personality and deep enthusiasm for the work of the D. A. R. will be remembered as a most inspiring feature of the conference.

The Florida Daughters have been interested for several years in the welfare of the remnant of the tribe of Seminole Indians living in the Everglades, who, by the march of so-called progress, are threatened with absolute extermination, so when Mrs. Minnie Moore Wilson was announced she was received most cordially. Mrs. Wilson, the organizing regent at Kissimmee, is a devoted friend of the Indian, and by her writings has done much to create an intelligent interest in them throughout the State. Her paper on U-le-lah, Princess of Hirrihigua, the Florida Pocohontas, was most instructive, as it was about the early and little known history of that locality and a sketch of the life of the Indian princess for whom the St. Petersburg Chapter was named.

The reports of the State officers and chapter regents showed a steady increase in numbers, and a broadening interest in the work throughout the State. The State regent gave the name of the Cora

Stickney Harper Chapter as nearly organized. She also reported, as director of the Children of the American Revolution, a new Stars and Stripes Chapter, C. A. R., formed under the auspices of the Katherine Livingstone Chapter of Jacksonville. As comparatively few Florida chapters send delegates to the Continental Congress at Washington, a report of the 23rd Congress was read by Mrs. J. C. Burrowes, regent of the Jacksonville Chapter, and was listened to with much interest.

In response to a request from the last conference for a State song, several chapters sent in excellent ones, but owing to lack of time the selection of one for the permanent official use of the State Daughters was postponed and left in the hands of the State regent.

A most delightful break in the routine of the afternoon session was the taking a recess at four and the serving of afternoon tea from a prettily appointed tea-table. This hospitable rite was greatly enjoyed by everyone, and its novelty coming in the midst of business and reports made it more acceptable.

Miss Kathryn Thorp, State chairman of the National Committee on Children of the Republic, reported forming a chapter on Feb. 3rd, among the children of the Cuban colony at Tampa. This is the first in the State having a membership of twenty boys, who decided upon the name of George Washington for the chapter.

Among the resolutions upon general matters adopted by the conference were the following one, proposed by Miss J. M. Van Keuren, chairman of the Magazine Committee, "that the Florida State Conference assembled at St. Petersburg, February 5th, 1915, petition the National Society to locate permanently the business office of the D. A. R. Magazine within the Memorial Continental Hall at Washington, D. C."; one endorsing the bill which will be introduced at the next session of the Florida Legislature, which grants land to the Seminole Indians, and provides schools for them,

and also one "to discourage the use of paper napkins decorated with the United States flag," and thus help in preventing the desecration of the flag.

The election of officers, held at the last business session, resulted in Mrs. J. G. Cristopher and Mrs. J. M. Mahoney of Jacksonville being named as Honorary State regents; Mrs. M. W. Carruth, of Tampa, as State regent; Mrs. A. T. Bigelow, of Daytona, as first State vice-regent; Mrs. A. D. Whitman, of Orlando, as second State vice-regent; Miss Ruth Rich, of Jacksonville, secretary; Mrs. W. S. Taylor, of Deland, treasurer; Miss Antoinette Slemmons, of Orlando, historian, and Miss Kathryn Thorp, of Daytona, auditor.

Among the social functions arranged for the Daughters, which were greatly enjoyed, was a reception given by the vice-regent of the St. Petersburg Chapter, Mrs. J. C. Hamlett. She entertained the delegates and friends at her charming home on the evening of the fourth of February. The house was artistically decorated with cut flowers and tropical vines. In the receiving line with the hostess were Mrs. Ames of Chicago and the State officers. During

the evening a musical program was rendered with fine effect.

At the close of the conference the members enjoyed another social hour at the hospitable home of Mrs. Ridgely, who entertained them at a delightful afternoon tea. These social affairs, giving such pleasant opportunities for the delegates from distant parts of the State to become acquainted, are much appreciated, and add greatly to the interest of the conference.

Before the adjournment Katherine Livingstone Chapter of Jacksonville gave the conference a cordial invitation to meet with them for the conference of 1916, which was received and accepted with pleasure.

The delegates separated for their homes, with many expressions of thanks and pleasure for the charming hospitality shown them by the Princess Hiriagua Chapter, and the people of St. Petersburg. They felt more deeply than ever the power that these conferences may have in promoting and enlarging the field of work for the D. A. R., and in creating more enthusiasm among the members generally.—ANNIE M. LOCKE, *State historian*.

Nebraska

The presence of the three guests of honor, Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett, Historian General, N. S. D. A. R., of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, State regent of Kansas, of Independence, Kansas, and Mrs. Drayton Wilson Bushnell, Honorary Vice-President General, N. S. D. A. R., of Council Bluffs, Iowa, added much to the enjoyment of the thirteenth annual State conference of the Nebraska Daughters of the American Revolution, held in Omaha, March 17 to 19, 1915. Representatives of twenty-seven chapters of the state were guests of the Omaha Chapter and the Major Isaac Sadler Chapter of Omaha. The meetings were held in the ballroom of the beautiful new Hotel Fontenelle, Mrs.

Warren F. Perry, State regent, presiding.

A special car on a Burlington train was provided from Lincoln to Omaha on the afternoon of March 17, and the incoming delegations were met in Lincoln by Mrs. J. J. Stubbs and Mrs. J. B. Reynolds, of Omaha, representing the hospitality committee. That evening the conference was opened by a brilliant reception tendered the delegates, guests, the Council Bluffs Chapter and the Sons of the American Revolution, by the Omaha and Major Isaac Sadler Chapters at the beautiful home of Mrs. Joseph M. Metcalf, of Omaha. The rooms were brightened with pink hyacinths, pink tulips, ferns and palms. An unusually charming musical pro-

gram added to the interest of the occasion. It was rendered by Miss Julia Porter, soloist; Miss Luella Anderson, violinist, and Sigmund Landsberg, pianist.

At 8.30 o'clock on the morning of March 18 the State board of management met for its business session. This was followed, after the presentation of credentials, by the formal opening of the conference by Mrs. Warren Perry, State regent. The invocation was offered by the Rev. Titus Lowe, after which all joined in the Flag Salute. Cordial addresses of welcome were tendered the visitors by James C. Dahlman, Mayor of Omaha; John L. McCague, President of the Omaha Commercial Club; Mrs. George B. Darr, vice-regent of the Omaha Chapter, and Mrs. Frank Baker, who spoke for her mother, Mrs. R. E. McKelvy, regent of the Major Isaac Sadler Chapter, whose unavoidable absence because of an accident involving a broken arm, was one of the few causes of regret connected with the conference. To these addresses of welcome Miss Mabel Lindly, regent of Deborah Avery Chapter of Lincoln, gracefully responded.

In her annual address as State regent, Mrs. Perry reported the number of Daughters now in Nebraska as 1234, a gratifying growth since last year. The organization of the Rev. Reuben Pickett Chapter at Chadron, on March 4th, makes the present number of Nebraska chapters twenty-nine, and eleven organizing regents, several of whom gave reports at the conference, expect to add new chapters to the Nebraska list in the near future. Mrs. Perry's address showed the accomplishment of much work, well and faithfully done. Brief addresses by H. M. Bushnell, of Lincoln, President of the Nebraska Sons of the American Revolution, and Judge George L. Loomis, ex-President of the same organization, concluded the morning session.

The most interesting events of the

afternoon session were the addresses given by two of the guests of honor, Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, who has been State regent of Kansas for the last seven years, gave a forceful talk on "Practical Education." This was followed by an eloquent address on "The Meaning of History," by Mrs. Charles Wesley Bassett, who seemed to be as pleased with her western hostesses as they were with her. She declared that the advertisement for the Steinway piano seemed particularly applicable to the western people—that they, too, were "upright, square and grand." Mrs. Bassett urged the conservation of ideals as well as the preservation of records, and impressed upon her hearers the fact that the history we are living now is as important as that of the past. The reports of the State officers and a part of the chapter reports were given that afternoon, after which the delegates were adjourned to meet again at 7.30 o'clock for the banquet.

The banquet given on the evening of March 18, at the Hotel Fontenelle was perhaps the most beautiful in the annals of D. A. R. history in Nebraska, and was enjoyed by about two hundred Daughters. The long speakers' table, bordered with pink tulips and with an exquisite basket of pink hyacinths and ferns as a centre-piece, was raised on a platform which overlooked the long room where, grouped about a huge standard of tall pink roses, were many small, round, candlelighted tables, each with an Omaha Daughter as a hostess. Mrs. A. K. Gault, past Vice-President General, presided as toastmistress and called for the following toasts, all of which, besides being clever and witty, contained much food for earnest thought: "The Heritage of Heroism," Mrs. Warren Perry; "Our Guests," Mrs. Charles B. Letton; "The Best Ever," Mrs. Drayton Bushnell; "Friendliness," Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey, and "Lest We Forget," Mrs. Charles W. Bassett.

On Friday morning, March 19, the conference was opened by a beautiful memorial service conducted by Mrs. C. E. Adams, in memory of the eleven Daughters Nebraska has lost by death during the last year. This was followed by a most interesting and instructive Round Table, conducted by Mrs. C. F. Steele, of Fairbury, including addresses on the following topics: "What May I Receive from the D. A. R.?" by Mrs. A. W. Richardson, of Lincoln; "The Essential Qualifications for an Ideal Chapter Officer," Mrs. Fred C. Laird, of Fremont; "Our Duty to the Member-at-Large," Mrs. Philip Potter, of Omaha; "Chapter Life: Its Opportunities and Responsibilities," Mrs. William Archibald Smith, of Omaha, and "Chapter Life: Its Duties and Pleasures," Mrs. T. J. Gist, of Falls City.

Mrs. C. H. Aull, State vice-regent and Chairman of the Flag Award Committee, reported that Fontenelle Chapter of Plattsmouth, having doubled its number, had made a gain of 100 per cent., and therefore was the winner of the silk flag offered each year by Mrs. Charles O. Norton, past State regent, to the chapter making the greatest percentage of gain in numbers.

During the last afternoon the very excellent reports of many of the chapter regents and the chairmen of the many standing and special committees had to be hurried through because of lack of time. Under the leadership of the State parliamentarian, Mrs. A. K. Gault, the State by-laws were amended to conform to the national by-laws, restricting the right to vote and to make motions to the regularly elected delegates and the State regent, or the State vice-regent acting in her place. The ratio of representation was fixed at two delegates for each chapter having a membership of less than fifty; four delegates for each chapter having a membership of fifty and less than 200; six delegates for each chapter of 200 and less than 300, and so on. In each



Mrs. CHARLES H. AULL.
State Regent of Nebraska.

case one delegate must be the regent of the chapter.

The presence of a Real Daughter, Mrs. Elvira C. Tewksbury, of the Jonathan Cass Chapter of Weeping Water, added interest to the closing day of the conference. She was escorted to the platform, introduced to the Daughters, placed in an armchair and made a guest of honor during her stay.

The election of State officers, which was most harmonious, each officer receiving the unanimous vote of the delegates, resulted as follows: Mrs. C. H. Aull, of Omaha, State regent; Mrs. E. G. Drake, of Beatrice, State vice-regent; Mrs. M. J. Wickersham, of Weeping Water, Recording Secretary; Miss Elizabeth Wright, of Fairmont, Treasurer; Miss Chattie Coleman, of Stromsburg, Auditor; Mrs. C. S. Paine, of Lincoln, Registrar, and Mrs. E. M. Correll, of Hebron, Historian. These officers will begin their work immediately after the Continental Congress.

The closing event of the conference

as a reception tendered the delegates and guests by the Council Bluffs Chapter at the home of Mrs. Donald Macrae in Council Bluffs. This pleasant affair was made more delightful by the presence of the guests of honor. Mrs. Bushnell has long been known and loved by the Nebraska Daughters. Mrs. Guernsey, who is a sister of Nebraska's newly elected State regent, Mrs. Aull, added this year to the pleasing impression she made at the Nebraska State Conference last year. The common feeling toward Mrs. Bassett was expressed in the following resolution passed just before the adjournment of the conference.

"Whereas, the Daughters of the American Revolution of Nebraska, in their thirteenth annual conference assembled, wish to express their apprecia-

tion to Mrs. Charles W. Bassett, Historian General, N. S. D. A. R., for her presence at this meeting, *therefore, be it resolved*, that we, the Daughters of Nebraska, give her our most sincere thanks for the lessons she left with us of the work of historical research, and also for the keen appreciation she expressed for the welcome she received while in our State. *Be it further resolved*, that a copy of this Resolution be sent Mrs. Bassett."

Resolutions also were passed to be sent to the legislature, urging the erection of a fireproof State historical building and further appropriations for the marking of historic trails while men are yet living who personally knew the roads and the points at which they touched.—(Mrs. G. W.) ORMA HULL, KLINE, *State historian*.

Tennessee

The ninth State Conference of the Tennessee Daughters of the American Revolution convened in Knoxville, Monday, November 9, as guest of the Bonny Kate Chapter, Miss Mary Temple, regent.

Knoxville is one of the oldest settlements in the State, with historical and revolutionary association on every hand. It is the home town of our State regent, Mrs. George White Baxter, and it was her ancestor, Col. James White, a revolutionary soldier, who owned and settled this place in 1786.

The meetings of the conference were held in the marble Parish House of St. John's Episcopal Church, which was beautifully decorated with flags and varied colored flowers and foliage.

The delegates commenced to arrive early Monday morning, and at one o'clock Mrs. James H. Anderson, State secretary, gave an elaborate luncheon at the Cherokee Country Club to the hostesses and visiting chapters.

Three o'clock Bonny Kate Chapter gave an automobile ride of seven miles to Campbell Station where this chapter

dedicated a monument in memory of David Campbell, a King's Mountain hero, as well as a long line of revolutionary and Indian war records. Miss Temple presided and introduced the speaker, Prof. James Hoskins, Ph. D., of the State University who gave a résumé of the life and work of this brave man, and touched upon the war records of some of his contemporaries. The State regent, Mrs. George W. Baxter, and Mr. Selden Nelson, of the Sons of the American Revolution, added a few remarks to this address.

Monday evening Mrs. Baxter entertained the conference with a delicious southern supper of many courses, which was enjoyed after an unusually cool ride. Tuesday, at nine o'clock, the first business session opened with an invocation, by Dr. W. C. Whitaker, pastor of St. John Episcopal Church. After the singing of "America," the State Regent, Mrs. Baxter, extended a welcome to all, then introduced the Mayor of the City, Hon. S. G. Heiskell, who offered the hospitality of the city in an admirable address in which he paid high tribute to

the effective work of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

The response to the address of welcome was made by Mrs. H. S. Chamberlain, of Chattanooga, regent of the Chickamauga Chapter, and an honorary State regent. Miss Mary Temple, regent of the hostess chapter, gave a cordial greeting to the visiting Daughters, and spoke of other meetings as this, held in former years here. Mrs. G. W. Denny, State President of Women's Clubs, gave their welcome. Mrs. Day, of Memphis, Vice-President General, responded to these greetings.

Mrs. B. B. Cates announced that 18 chapters answered to the roll call. The report of the Credential Committee was read by Mrs. C. B. Bryan, of Memphis. After much discussion of the Constitution and By-laws, the minutes of the State conference for 1913, which was held in Jackson, were read by Mrs. J. H. Anderson, State secretary.

Mrs. Baxter, State regent, gave a very interesting report of the year's work in the State. More than 100 have been added to the membership, and several new chapters are formed, and many more are being organized.

A mid-day luncheon was tendered the conference by the Sons of American Revolution, in the private dining-hall of the Imperial Hotel. It was a beautiful affair with lovely flowers, delicious menu, dainty souvenirs. Mr. William Shields, President of the Sons, presided, and the toasts were an enjoyable feature of a very successful function.

The afternoon session was full of interest. Miss Ella Hunt, of the Bonny Kate Chapter, gave a splendid talk on the "Preservation of Historic Sites." The "Old Trail Roads—Daniel Boone Trail," by Miss Mary Temple, was by far the most interesting report of this session. Miss Temple has accomplished heroic work in completing the Boone trail in Tennessee. In the early summer Tennessee, Virginia, Kentucky will unite in a joint celebration of the finished

Boone trail through these three States.

Mrs. Thomas Day, of Memphis, gave the report on the Draper Manuscripts. The D. A. R. of Tennessee employed Prof. Highshaw, of Memphis, to go to the Wisconsin State Library and copy some of the most important data on Tennessee history contained in the collection of Draper papers in that library. The work as completed was a small volume made into three copies, one each going to Memphis, Nashville, Knoxville.

Mrs. H. S. Chamberlain spoke at length on the value of the D. A. R. MAGAZINE, and urged each member to subscribe to the same. Mrs. Hicks, State treasurer, gave an interesting talk on "Preservation of the Flag." This brought out animated discussion on the importance of the subject by all present and it was decided that the conference would send a Tennessee flag to the Post Office Department at Washington. Mrs. George White Baxter,



MRS. GEORGE W. BAXTER,
State Regent of Tennessee.

State regent, asked the privilege of giving such a flag to the Post Office Department as her gift to the Tennessee D. A. R. This generous act was much appreciated, and later in the year Mrs. Baxter went to Washington and presented to the Post Office Department a handsome Tennessee flag with appropriate ceremonies.

Later in the afternoon the Daughters of the Confederacy gave to the Daughters of the American Revolution a handsome reception and tea in their club rooms in the Women's Building. This was a very large affair, several hundred calling.

Tuesday evening was given over to a concert and a symposium by the past State regents on "The Greatest Patriotic Need in the State and Country."

Wednesday, the last day of the conference, the meeting opened by Miss Margaret Anderson singing Mrs. Lucy D. Tipton's "Ode to Tennessee." The reports from the different chapters were read by the State secretary. After finishing up a few other items of business, the conference proceeded to the election of officers. The following were elected by acclamation: The State regent, Mrs. George White Baxter, was re-elected for another term; Mrs. Hallum Goodloe, vice-regent; Mrs. Margaret Hicks,

State treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Anderson, State secretary; Mrs. Charles Slack, historian; Mrs. Sadie Polk Gardner, State vocalist; Mrs. Virginia F. Boyle, Poet Laureate. Mrs. Thomas Day, of Memphis, and Miss Mary Temple, of Knoxville, were nominated Vice-Presidents General. Miss Temple withdrew her name, and Mrs. Day's election was unanimous.

Mrs. W. G. Spencer gave a detailed account of the Mountain School work, of the good being accomplished, and the importance of the work. Mrs. A. S. Caldwell gave an interesting talk on the Welfare of Women and Children. The co-operation of the D. A. R. in the work of the Lincoln Memorial University was asked, and a committee was formed to investigate this work.

A short requiem service was held in memory of the departed D. A. R. A most beautiful ode, written for the occasion by Mrs. Virginia Frasier Boyle, was read by Mrs. Bryan.

Mrs. H. S. Chamberlain extended a most cordial invitation for the D. A. R. to convene in Chattanooga in 1915. The invitation was accepted.

The conference adjourned upon the most brilliant year in the history of the Tennessee Society, to attend a handsome tea at the magnificent home in Temple avenue, of Mrs. L. D. TYSON.—KATHARINE K'EOGH WHITE.

Work of the Chapters

Little Rock Chapter (Little Rock, Arkansas.)—Our twenty-first year, now nearing its close, finds us with a membership of 77, and about 15 names pending.

During January our chapter was honored by a visit from Mrs. Guernsey, State regent of Kansas.

We have had several men of the city address us on the war situation, and as proof of our interest have contributed \$106.00 to the Red Cross Fund, and \$5.00 to the Belgian Fund.

Wednesday, of last week, we presented a flag to Kramer, a ward school, with very elaborate exercises and singing by the pupils. After the flag was raised the granddaughter of our State Regent, little seven-year-old Ruth Helen Wassell, gave the salute:

"One country,
"One language,
"One flag,"

and to our surprise, made the addition of "One God."

The Saturday following we presented

another flag to the Public Library.

The school children meet there every Saturday for a story telling hour, and the librarian requested the flag for their exercises.

Mrs. S. S. Wassell, the tireless State regent, has been made honorary State regent, while our chapter regent, Mrs. S. P. Davis, has been nominated for State vice regent.

We are most sorry to lose her from this office, for besides being an indefatigable worker, she has been the embodiment of our motto:

"Courtesy, Loyalty and Truth."

On the 14th of last June she made the presentation speech when the Little Rock Chapter gave a State and National flag to the State Militia. She has also worked to increase interest in the mountain schools, and two scholarships have been given to the Winslow Mountain School for Girls. One was the gift of the chapter, and the other of a generous chapter member, Mrs. Logan H. Roots.

Mrs. Helen M. Norton, whom we all delight to honor, and who is thoroughly versed in State and National D. A. R. work, was nominated by the State Conference for Vice President General.—(MRS. ALBERT) LEONA H. WASSELL, *historian*.

Jane McCrea Chapter (Ford Edward, N. Y.), which is made up of members from Glens Falls, Hudson Falls and Fort Edward, has within the past year received many accessions to membership and has succeeded in accomplishing several objects for which it has been assiduously working for a number of years.

For many years it has been the ambition and desire of the chapter to properly mark the site of old Fort Edward, which had such an interesting and varied history as a military post, under its various names, from the earliest days of our commonwealth down through the French and Indian War, and whose name is forever associated with that grim tragedy which was one of the determining causes of Burgoyne's defeat at Saratoga in

1777. The work of tableting this site begun under the regency of Mrs. Joseph E. King and continued through that of Mrs. Julius W. Walters, was brought to a most successful fruition during the summer and fall of 1914 under Mrs. Charles H. Wilson, the present regent.

On September 16 of last year all things were in readiness and the unveiling took place. The marker consists of two huge boulders of granite, mounted on a concrete foundation, and is located on land recently purchased and now owned by the chapter. On the upper stone, on a smooth surface fortunately left by nature of the exact size desired, a bronze tablet has been placed bearing this inscription:

This Boulder
marks the site of
OLD FORT EDWARD
1755-1780
Erected by the
Jane McCrea Chapter
Daughters of
The American Revolution
1914

The ceremonies on this occasion were interesting and impressive. First a reception with luncheon was given in the Methodist Church in Fort Edward at which were present Mrs. Willard S. Augsbury, then State regent, and many visiting regents and daughters from Glens Falls, Schenectady, Saratoga. After a luncheon the preliminary exercises were held in the auditorium of the church. The regent, Mrs. C. H. Wilson, announced the appointment of Hon. J. A. Holden, State historian, as Master of Ceremonies. The invocation was given by the Rev. Charles D. Kellogg, which was followed by the address of welcome by the regent, Mrs. Wilson. Ashael R. Wing of Fort Edward responded for the Sons of the American Revolution, and a very interesting address was given by Mrs. Augsbury, State regent. Music was furnished by the Cecilian Quartette. Dr. Sherman Williams, Chief of the Division of School Libraries of the University of the State of New York, and a well-

known educator, author and lecturer, delivered an historical address on "Old Fort Edward." Following this the audience repaired to the west end of Old Fort street, where the marker was unveiled by two children, Miss Margaret Wait Derby and Master George Underwood Adriance, both of whom are lineal descendants of members of the chapter.

An address of dedication and commitment of the boulder was given by Mrs. Joseph E. King, who was followed by the former regent, Mrs. Julius W. Walters, and the boulder was then accepted by the regent, Mrs. C. H. Wilson. The Hon. John Alden Dix, ex-Governor of New York, delivered a very interesting address, and after the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner" by the audience, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. E. R. Sawyer, D. D.

The erection and unveiling of this marker makes the second permanent memorial which has been placed by this chapter to commemorate the important events in the history of Fort Edward, the Jane McCrea marker, which was dedicated a number of years ago, being the other one.

On November 14th the chapter met at the Parish House of the Church of the Messiah, Glens Falls, where in connection with the regular program a memorial service had been arranged in honor of the late Cornelia Wing Ferriss, who, in addition to being one of the most remarkable women of whom Glens Falls was highly proud, was one of the few remaining descendants of the founder of the now city of Glens Falls, Abraham Wing.

The regent also read a tribute to Mrs. Everett R. Sawyer, of Hudson Falls, another member who has died within a year.—MARY EVEREST HOLDEN, *historian*.

Needham Bryan Chapter (Mobile, Ala.)—The organizing meeting of the Needham Bryan Chapter was held Monday, February 22, at three o'clock, at the home of the organizing regent, Mrs. H. T. Inge.

The meeting opened with prayer and the singing of "America," led by Mrs. Emma Tam.

The roll-call of the organizing members then followed, and those present were: Mrs. H. Austill, Mrs. W. W. Croom, Mrs. L. H. Correll, Mrs. F. O. Hoffman, Mrs. H. T. Inge, Miss Marie Ilett, Mrs. Pride Jones, Mrs. F. S. Jones, Mrs. Edward Meredith, Mrs. Jack Meredith, Mrs. A. W. Metcalf, Mrs. J. W. McAlpine, Mrs. Benjamin W. Padgett, Mrs. George Threefoot, Mrs. Emma Tam, Mrs. M. T. Walker.

Mrs. Rhett Goode, one of the Vice-Presidents General of the National Society, was present by invitation of the regent. She made a brief talk, welcoming the chapter into the Society.

A short history of the D. A. R., setting forth its constitution, its objects and the national work already accomplished, was presented by Mrs. John McAlpine. The corps of officers then appointed by the regent, Mrs. H. T. Inge, were as follows: first vice regent, Mrs. W. W. Croom; second vice regent, Mrs. John W. McAlpine; recording secretary, Mrs. Benjamin W. Padgett; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Steele Partridge; registrar, Mrs. A. W. Metcalf; treasurer, Mrs. Edward Meredith; historian, Mrs. F. O. Hoffman.

After the charter officers were announced, the charter members stood and repeated the following pledge:

"I pledge myself to conform to the constitution and by-laws of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, with loyalty and to the best of my ability."

The regent then announced the name of her ancestor, Needham Bryan, as the one selected for the chapter. Mrs. Croom read a short history of Col. Needham Bryan, after which the organizing regent saluted the new chapter by name, saying: "Needham Bryan Chapter, I salute you, and by virtue of my office as organizing regent, I now pronounce this chapter duly organized and offer you heartiest congratulations and best

wishes for a bright and successful future."

After the singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner," the meeting adjourned to enjoy a social hour that followed the business meeting.—IDA B. MCLEAN PODGETT, *secretary*.

Uncompahgre Chapter (Montrose, Col.)—The chapter has enjoyed a splendid year's work with Helen Clarkson Monell (Mrs. T. W.) as regent. Our programs have been particularly interesting. Our subject, "The Discovery and Settlement of the Original Thirteen Colonies," in the order in which they were settled, was very instructive. Our attendance has been good, and all have been interested in the chapter work. The social functions enjoyed by the chapter were a luncheon in October during the annual visit of our State regent, Mrs. W. S. Tarbell, of Denver, and our annual celebration of Washington's Birthday, February 22.

The chapter entertained their friends with an interesting program along patriotic lines, followed with most delicious refreshments.

We are adding new members and find each succeeding year more interesting than the past one.

Since our organization we had one marriage, Miss Edith Baily, now Mrs. W. A. Greene, and two births, Delphine Selig and Elenor Cox, and no deaths, and but two withdrawals and two dropped.—JENNIE VIOLA BREWSTER, *historian*.

Ottawaquechee Chapter (Woodstock, Vt.)—Great interest has been maintained in the monthly meetings of this chapter, under the leadership of our efficient regent, Mrs. H. C. Jackson, who is serving in this capacity for the eighth year. Three new members have been added, making thirty-five in all, nine of whom are charter members. Historical papers have been given at each meeting, and generous contributions have been voted for work along patriotic, philanthropic and educational lines. The social side of our chapter's life has been

a prominent feature. To quote from a local paper, "One of the most unique and pleasant social events of the winter season was the colonial tea given at the Sign of the Iron Kettle by Ottawaquechee Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, on New Year's afternoon from three to six o'clock, at the home of Miss E. A. Hapgood. The unique sign of the occasion was an antique iron tea kettle hanging on a crane before the entrance door; and the interior, decorated with flags, was quaintly illuminated with candles. More than a hundred guests attended and were received by Mrs. Jackson, regent of the chapter, and Mrs. Gillingham, the first regent. Mrs. Batchelder and Mrs. Montague poured, and little Miss Frances Spear, in old Colonial costume, attended at the door." Each guest brought a contribution of ten cents "to help swell the treasury."

Another memorable occasion was the evening of March 19, when Mrs. Ada F. Gillingham and Miss Ellen A. Fairbanks gave a silver shower to the members of the chapter and invited guests.—AMY B. DRAKE, *historian*.

Jemima Alexander Sharp Chapter (Booneville, Mo.)—This chapter has an enrollment of seventeen resident members and seven non-resident. The Year Book for 1914 includes subjects of study along patriotic lines, and the chapter shows an encouraging growth in numbers and interest.

Some patriotic work outlined for the summer will be the marking of graves of Revolutionary soldiers in Cooper County and placing a Santa Fe Trail marker at Booneville.—Mrs. T. A. JOHNSTON.

Eunice Baldwin Chapter (Hillsboro, N. H.) has held its regular meetings the second Saturday of each month, with good attendance and literary program. June 13 was Reciprocity Day, the members of Mollie Aiken Chapter of Antrim being guests. The meeting was held at the home of the Misses Pierce, grand-nieces of ex-President Pierce. A

paper was read by Mrs. Hadley, and Mrs. Robert Jameson sang two selections. At the town fair in January the chapter united with the Woman's Club on a candy table and twenty-five dollars was cleared for library fund. "La Fiesta," a Spanish court scene, with music and dancing, was given in February, and eighteen dollars was made for the chapter. Five dollars was given in June for Continental Hall, also a silver collection in March for the same object. Two dollars was given to the Belgian fund. One new member, Mrs. Lorinda Smith, has been added to the chapter this year. We are called to mourn the death of Abbie J. Grimes, the regent of the years 1910 and 1911, who left us March 29. She was a devoted D. A. R., earnest and faithful in her work. The wisdom and ability which she exercised in the aid of our organization by service, contributions and counsel will be held in grateful remembrance. Death has come to the home of Mary Grimes McGlinen, of Brookline, Mass, our charter regent, her husband passing away March 21.—EMMA W. MITCHELL, *historian*.

Ondawa-Cambridge Chapter (Cambridge, N. Y.)—In November, 1915, we expect to become "of age," which means that we are old enough so that we should be doing good work. Like the most of chapters, we have made advances and have had our drawbacks, till now we find ourselves with names enrolled 140, of which sixteen have been removed by death, and about an equal number transferred to other chapters.

Each year six regular meetings are held, the first one, or the November meeting, being our regular annual meeting, with election of officers, reports from committees, officers, etc. One of the five is also given to the different reports from our Continental Congress at Washington. Our four other meetings are crowded with good things in the line of music, historical papers, etc., closing with a luncheon and social hour.

At one of our meetings last year the

program was a presentation of "The Ladies of Cranford" by our bright young members.

On Memorial Day—as in other years—our chapter placed flags on the graves of all Revolutionary soldiers who were buried in the vicinity. We are justly proud of the help our little community gave their country in the seventies, as the chapter has identified and marked sixty-two graves, while four others were cared for by individuals. Our chapter decorates each year in the hall in which memorial services are held and attends the services as a body.

Each year a prize of five dollars in gold is offered to the pupil in the high school having the highest standing in American history—which prize is presented by our regent at the June commencement.

Twenty dollars was sent the past year as a contribution to the Continental Hall debt.

We are giving fifty dollars toward a scholarship in the Martha Berry School in Georgia, to be known as the "Minerva Buck McKie Scholarship," in memory of our charter regent, Mrs. Wm. McKie. We sent also ten dollars to the Red Cross fund last year.—(Mrs. M. B.) HELEN WRIGHT HUTTON, *historian*.

Shadrach Bond Chapter (Carthage, Illinois). On October 22, 1914, the Shadrach Bond Chapter unveiled a tablet and boulder of granite in the Court House Park of Carthage, Illinois, to commemorate the address delivered by Abraham Lincoln on this spot on October 22, 1858. The dedication of this monument was attended with appropriate exercises. The day was a perfect autumn day, such as one sees in the Mississippi Valley, and about 2,000 persons had assembled to assist in the celebration. The main address was delivered by the Honorable Clark E. Carr, of Galesburg, a friend of Mr. Lincoln, Mr. Carr being introduced by the Hon. D. E. Mack, of Carthage. Unveiling of tablet by Mrs. Alice Lincoln McManus, the flag used being one that was made for and used at

the celebration in 1858, and one which Mr. Lincoln examined and complimented the makers. The chapter had as its guests of honor those "who heard Lincoln in 1858."

Washington's birthday was observed by a recital of American Folk Songs by Mrs. Collingwood Tucker. A splendid exhibit of antiques was held by the chapter at the home of Mrs. Dabney Lewis, where many articles of rare and

historic interest were exhibited. The exhibit was held during two days, the proceeds being used toward the expense of the Lincoln boulder. Flag Day was observed by a patriotic picnic at the home of Mrs. Julia Ferris. Our Magazine is placed in the reading rooms of the college and of the city. Prizes of books are given to the pupil obtaining highest grade in both high school and local academy.—MRS. C. B. NEWCOMER, *historian*.

Revolutionary Records

SOLDIERS OF THE REVOLUTION BURIED IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, PA.

DAVID BOYD—David Boyd was born in Cumberland County, Pa., in 1743, the son of John Boyd and Nancy Urie. John Boyd came from Ireland and settled near Shippensburg, Pa., he was born in 1700. John Boyd enlisted with Colonel John Armstrong, of Carlisle, August 7th, 1755, also fought under General Daniel Drodhead at the destruction of the Indian town of Kittanning in 1756.

Mrs. Boyd was killed by the Indians and her children held captive for seven years. David was returned to Carlisle by the Indian who had adopted him, he was then in his seventeenth year and resembled an Indian in appearance, he served in the Revolution throughout the war, having enlisted three times, first as a private in Captain James Chambers Company, Thompson's Battalion of Expert Riflemen in 1775; re-enlisted in James Grier's Company, same regiment, in 1776. Saw service at Brandywine, Trenton, Valley Forge and Saratoga.

David Boyd removed to Buffalo, Washington County, Pa., in 1794 and died in 1831. He is buried in the Presbyterian Churchyard at Buffalo, Hopewell Township, Pa. He married in 1771, Elizabeth Henderson.

THOMAS URIE—Thomas Urie was a brother of Nancy Urie and was born in or near Aberdeen, Scotland, about 1718. He settled at Carlisle, Cumberland County, Pa. He was a French and Indian fighter and spent many days at Fort Pitt. He died July 15th, 1804, aged eighty-six years and is buried in the Presbyterian Churchyard at Buffalo, Washington County, Pa.

WILLIAM GILSON—William Gilson served throughout the war, was present at the surrender of Burgoyne, and also of Cornwallis at Yorktown, 1781. He lived at New Derry, Westmoreland County, Pa., and died in 1806. He was buried on his own farm.

JAMES LAFFERTY—James Lafferty served as a private in Captain Scull's Company, 11th Pennsylvania Infantry, Commanded by Colonel Richard Hampton. He enlisted December 12th, 1775. He is buried in the Presbyterian Churchyard at Mingo Creek, Washington County, Pa.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

JOHN COLLINS—John Collins served in the 5th Pennsylvania Regiment, Colonel Francis Johnston, 1778. He lived in South Fayette Township, Allegheny County, Pa., and is buried in the Presbyterian Churchyard on Chartiers Creek.

AARON WHITAKER—Aaron Whitaker was enlisted in the Washington County Militia. He is buried in the town of Whitaker, near Homestead, Pa. James Whitaker, the father of Aaron, settled in Mifflin Township in 1767. Abraham, brother of James, settled there three years later. He is buried on his farm, now Homeville. The name Abraham Whitaker is on the list of Signers of the Harford County, Maryland Declaration of Independence.

JAMES STUART—Buried in the Henderson Cemetery near Harmarville, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

ANDREW GRAYDON—Andrew Graydon was commissioned Ensign, June 13th, 1776, Third Battalion Pennsylvania. He is buried in the Episcopal Churchyard, Woodville, Pa.

JAMES SCOTT, Sr.—James Scott, Sr., was a private in Captain John Vanmeter's Company of the Fourth Battalion, Westmoreland County Militia, 1782, and in Captain McKey's Company, Westmoreland County Militia, 1777-1778. He lived near the "Forks of the Yough" in Elizabeth Township and died on his farm in 1825; he is buried in Round Hill Graveyard, Elizabeth Township, Allegheny County, Pa.—Contributed by MARY O'HARA DARLINGTON, *historian of Pittsburgh Chapter, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania*.

GENEALOGICAL DEPARTMENT

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QUERIES

3949. CATTERSON. James Catterson, b Oct. 28, 1793, m Sarah Wyant and d Apr. 6, 1841. He was the son of James Catterson and Sarah Henry. Did this James Catterson Sen. serve in the Revolution?—*H. C.*

3950. McLEAN. Wanted date of death of Lachlan (or Laughlin) McLean who was a Rev. soldier, and afterwards lived in Nashville, Tennessee.—*A. S.*

3951. ANDREWS-RUSSELL. Nancy Andrews, b 1796, d 1882 in Aurora, Ill., m (1) Thomas Russell, who was b 1795, d 1826, I think in Greenfield, Mass.; had by him two children, Fannah Phelps (my mother), and William; m (2) John Ort; was the dau. of Moses Andrews. I would like to know more of my mother's people. Both the Andrews and the Russells were from Mass. Is there an Andrews book? I have heard there were 7 brothers in the Rev.—*C. L. B.*

3952. WETZELL, WITZELL, WHITESELL-HEISKELL. Susanna Wetzell, m Peter Heiskell, was the dau. of Christopher and Eve Wetzell. Christopher was the son of Martin and Eve Wetzell. Martin's will was signed in 1760. Cartmell's History of Frederick Co. mentions Christopher as one of the founders of Winchester, Va. in 1738. For a number of years he was Sergeant, as his bonds are on record in the Corporation Clerk's office. Wanted, Rev. records of Martin and Christopher Wetzell.—*I. L. S. A.*

3953. ALLEN-HANOR. Sally Allen, b 1774, m George Hanor (b June 5, 1769), had several children, among them Allen, b Sept. 1793; Sally Allen, b Nov. 1803; Ethan, b Sept. 1814.

Was Sally Allen Hanor a descendant of Ethan Allen? Her early life was spent in Columbia Co. N. Y. After her d George Hanor moved with part of his family from Claverack to Otsego Co. N. Y.—*A. L. R.*

3954. CHAPMAN. Can any one give gen. data and Rev. service of Stephen Chapman?—*M. S. McC.*

3955. MILLER-FREEMAN. Frederick Miller of Reading, Penna., son of — Miller and — Diehl his wife, m after War of 1812, too late for wife to secure pension (but after Civil War land grant was given in Iowa, which was sold or exchanged for land in Ill.) Martha Freeman, b Mch. 26, 1790, Raleigh, N. C., moved to Ky. when old enough to remember. He was a hatter with his brother Jacob or "Jake," and moved to Ky. Children were (1) William Diehl, lawyer, killed in Texas in 1854-5, unmarried; (2) Samuel Freeman, Associate Justice of Supreme Court during Civil War, twice married, (3) —, m Samuel Cowell Ware. Wanted, additional gen. data for these names, and Rev. ancestry of Frederick Miller and Martha Freeman.—*H. W. McC.*

3956. HAND-HENDRICKS-STACKHOUSE. Charles I. Hand, b Va. 1792, private in the War of 1812, Capt. Andrew B——'s Regt., 108th Va. Militia, taught school while young. What were his parents' names? It is said his father served in the Rev. Charles m Elizabeth Hendricks in 1813, I presume at Eaton, Ohio; was one of the first settlers of Indianapolis, Ind., d 1852 at Pocahontas, Ill. Elizabeth Hendricks, b 1797, d Indianapolis, Ind. 1850, was the dau. of Capt. David English Hendricks,

b N. J. 1765, and Rosanna Stackhouse, b 1774. They were m 1796, lived in or near Hamilton, Ohio, and were early settlers of Eaton, Ohio. Who were the parents of Rosanna Stackhouse? Was her father in the Rev.? The Stackhouse family were Quakers and came to this country with William Penn. Is there Rev. ancestry in any of these lines?—*L. J. E.*

3957. WILLIAMS. Wanted, gen. data and Rev. service or ancestry for Israel Williams, b York Co. Penna. Sept. 21, 1759; his wife Leah thought to be his first cousin.

(2) NORMAN. Wanted, gen. data and Rev. service of Norman family. George Norman m Margaretta Workizer of Chester Co. Penna. Oct. 2, 1804.

(3) CAMPBELL. Wanted, gen. data and Rev. service of Andrew Campbell, m Esther —; his will probated Chambersburg, Penna. March 6, 1789.

(4) GILBERT. Wanted, gen. data and Rev. service of John Alsop Gilbert, b 1799; m Elizabeth Watt.—*S. W. G.*

3958. EVANS. Can any one give history and Rev. record of Richard Evans of Penna. or Md., whose son Jeremiah m Rachel, dau. of John McMullen of Franklin Co. Penna., d 1822, and Mary (Poe) McMullen, d 1818?

(2) JOHN. What were the history and Rev. data of James John of Penna. (1742-1824)? He was of a Welsh family that settled in Penna. ab. 1735. His son John John (b Penna. 1785, d Indiana Dec. 29, 1862) lived in Ohio and m 1808 Mehitable Mintun, dau. of John Mintun, a Rev. soldier of N. J. and his wife Rebecca Fairchild.

(3) FAIRCHILD. Wanted, parentage of above Rebecca Fairchild, wife of John Mintun; d Dec. 20, 1849, aged 92 years; buried in Putnam Co. Ind.

(4) PARKS-RUNYON or RUNION. Samuel Parks, (b Dec. 25, 1771, d in Ohio, 1848) son of Charles and Catharine Parks of N. C., m Nov. 6, 1792, Charity, dau. of Phineas and Charity Runyon of Penna. or N. J. Wanted, history and Rev. record of Charles Parks, also of Phineas Runyon.—*E. M. J.*

3959. SHERWIN. Did Abineas Sherwin of Vt. (Hartland-Vergens) have a son named Jonathan, b Feb. 11, 1773? What was Jonathan's parentage?—*M. M. C.*

3960. CLEMENT. Wanted, ancestry of Joseph Thorne Clement, b Flushing L. I.; private in Capt. Depeyster's Co. 42d Regt. U. S. Infantry; enlisted Feb. 21, 1814; d in service of U. S. June 6, 1815; buried at Fort Richmond Garrison, Staten Island, L. I. R.—*G. E. R.*

3961. POLLARD-PAIGE. Abigail Pollard m James Black in 1788 at Augusta, Me. Their dau. Abigail m Caleb Paige in 1810. They lived at Oldtown or Belgrade, Me. Who was the father of Abigail Pollard? Who was the father of Caleb Paige? Did either serve in the

Rev? I have tried very hard to answer these questions.—*H. M. D.*

3962. MASSEY-POWELL. There were two William Masseys of S. C. in the Rev., one a merchant of Charleston, Adj. of the Regulars, one who lived in the country and belonged to the militia. "William Massey" received several small land grants just at the close of the Rev., one of 200 acres in Camden District. Wanted, his wife's and children's names. Was one son James a soldier in the War of 1812 from Tenn.? My grand-mother, Jane Massey, b Charleston, S. C. Dec. 1, 1809, m Joseph Powell in Tenn. but had lived in N. C. before. He was b April 24, 1808, and is supposed to be from S. C. Was his father or grandfather in the Rev.?—*J. H.*

3963. DOWD-GRIFFEN. Reuben Dowd, b Guilford Conn. 1745, m abt. 1780 Polly Griffen, lived near what is now Madison, Conn.; children Eben, Gaylord, Lois, Truman, Azubah, Polly, Vesta, Henry, Reuben. Would like place of Reuben Dowd's death and his Rev. service, also Polly Griffen's parents' names.

(2) WALTON. Ezra Walton m Polly Dowd in 1810, lived in Conn., later in Mexico, N. Y. They had ten children. Would like his ancestry and Rev. service.—*C. C. C.*

3964. CHURCHILL-DYER-BALDWIN. Samuel Churchill, b Plymouth, Mass. 1721, lived in Sheffield, Berkshire Co. Mass., later moved to Hubbardton, Vt. with a large family. Three sons, John, Silas and William, served in the Rev. His son Ezekiel was too young. Ezekiel m Elizabeth Dyer of Rhode Island. Had she Rev. Ancestry? Their dau. Wealthy, b 1800, m Jeremiah Baldwin of Rutland, Vt. Had he Rev. ancestry? A Samuel Churchill served as private in the Co. of Capt. Roswell Downing of Sheffield, Mass. in 1779. Were these the same men? Did the first named Samuel Churchill serve in the Rev.?—*C. M. L.*

3965. KIRKPATRICK. Would like names of some of the descendants of the Kirkpatrick family of S. C. Did any one of that name serve in the Rev.? Is there a Kirkpatrick genealogy, and if so, where may it be obtained?—*E. T. K.*

3966. RAY. Wanted, ancestry, gen. data and Rev. service of William Ray, b 1766, m 1785 (?) Dorcas Eddy; had 7 children, Asa, Phebe, Sally, Calvin, Philo, Abigail, John. William Ray removed from the south part of the State to Hinesburg, Vt., where he d in 1843.

(2) BIGELOW. Samuel Bigelow, b Shrewsbury, Mass., June 24, 1731, m Phebe Rand, dau. of Daniel Rand, July 1, 1775. No date of his death is found, but his estate was appraised April 10, 1787. Did he render any Rev. service?—*E. M. H.*

3967. DAVIS-HOUCHING. Were Ishmael Davis and Charles Houching Rev. soldiers? Both were Virginians.—*H. W. FarZ.*

3968. **DAVISON-HUTCHINSON.** Can any one give me information of James Davison, who was in Capt. Patterson's Co. First Establishment Third Battalion, also in Middlesex Militia? Was he the father of Robert who m Mary Hutchinson, and was Robert also in the Rev.? They say he was, but was discharged because of illness. He d at 40. Was William Hutchinson of Capt. Polhemus' Co. and also of the Militia in the Rev. the father of Mary who m Robert Davison? They had a son named William Hutchinson Davison, or Davidson, as it is spelled on the old gravestones.—*A. D. H.*

3969. **WHEELER.** Who was the father of Ezekiel Wheeler, who was b 1748 and had 4 sons and a dau., Heman, Glazier, Ezekiel, Caleb and Hannah? Is his line in the new Wheeler genealogy?—*K. D. W.*

3970. **SEWELL-MALLONEE.** Who were the parents of Achsah (Sewell) Mallonee? She was the widow of Leonard Mallonee. Their son William was b March 20, 1801 in Ann Arundel Co. Md. Where can I find a record of the Sewell family?—*A. M. C. B.*

3971. **MARKHAM-ALDEN.** Who was the father of Irene (Markham) Alden? Was it Israel Markham, and did he perform Rev. service?—*L. M.*

3972. **DORSEY.** Information desired of Stephen Dorsey, b in Md., moved to Indiana, where he d. His dau. Sarah m Joseph Walker in Fayette Co. Ind., where she d, leaving a dau. and son.

(2) **TIPTON-MURRAY.** The genealogy of Jabez Murray Tipton is known, but we are in search of data of Rev. service for his father, John Tipton (1726-1808), son of Thomas Tipton, b 1700, and Martha Murray (1726-1800), dau. of Jabez Murray. They were of Baltimore and Harford Counties, Md. Jabez Murray Tipton m Elizabeth Mitchell and moved with his parents to Ky. in the 18th century.—*M. E. C. W.*

3973. **FOSTER.** Can any one give information of Mark Foster, especially his military service in the Rev.? He was the father of Capt. Charles Foster of Patrick Co. Va. who represented his county in the Va. legislature 16 years. He had come from Penna. to Va.

(2) **HOUGH.** Who were the parents of Dr. Thomas Hough of the same co., another Rev. patriot?—*E. T. M.*

3974. **ROSS.** Did Benjamin Ross (Jan. 1747-July 28, 1827, 4:50 p. m.) serve in the Rev.? When m? His wife's name? His son William lived in Dauphin Co. Penna.

(2) **POLAND-ELLIOT.** Aritta Poland m Simon Elliot and lived in Bristol, Me. Wanted, names of her parents, dates of birth and marriage and Rev. service, if any, of her father and husband.—*W. E. S.*

3975. **GRUNDY-BURCH.** George Grundy II,

b in Va., m about 1786 Eleanor Burch. Who were Eleanor's parents? It is especially desirable to know her father's name, since it appears that he d while Eleanor was quite young, and the mother remarried, the second m being to — Harris. The least information will be welcomed.—*E. D. M.*

3976. **BLAIR.** Wanted, information of John Blair, who d Guilford Court House, N. C. His will is dated Sept. 22, 1777. He m Jean —, her name desired. The children were Thomas, John, Andrew, Jonathan, Jean and Mattie. His parents' names and gen. data desired. The children were all quite young at their father's death. Some years later the family moved to Ky., then later to Huntsville, Ala. His son John Blair Jr. d Madison Co., Tenn. Dec. 18, 1844. He m Martha (I think) Blair, and left the following children: Jane Boven, Cynthia Hays, Tennessee Rush, Nancy Holladays, James Blair, John Blair and Manthy Blythe. I am desirous of corresponding with descendants of any of the above.—*A. B. A.*

3977. **HUDNALL-NEWMAN.** John Hudnall m — Newman, probably in Bedford Co. Va. Can any one give information of ancestors of these persons? Were their fathers in the Rev.? Children of John Hudnall: David, Charles, Sophia (m Adison Clater), Elizabeth (m William Edgar).

(2) **TUCKER-LANE.** Jesse Tucker, a Rev. soldier whose service has been proved, m Nancy Lane in Va., prob. Bedford or Botetourt Co. To which branch of Tucker and Lane families did they belong? Did the father of either serve in the Rev.? Please give names of ancestors with dates and record of service, if any. The children of Jesse and Nancy Lane Tucker were Claudius Lyceus Presto Tucker, Granville and Sinclair Tucker, Permelea (m Toliver Owens), and two daughters who m Hensleys.—*G. C. A.*

3978. **TAYLOR.** Col. Richard Taylor, father of Zachary Taylor, twelfth president of the U. S., "was a colonel in the War of the Rev. He was conspicuous for his zeal and courage." Whom did Col. Richard Taylor marry?—*A. I.*

3979. **ALSTON-LYNCH.** Wanted, information in regard to the Alston-Lynch family of South Carolina. Would like the name of the Alston who m Thomas Lynch, the delegate to the First Continental Congress; also the names of their children and whom they m.

(2) **DARLINGTON.** Information desired concerning the Darlington family of Va. Maria Darlington of Winchester, Va. m. (1) — Thorp, abt. 1820; (2) David Stover of Woodstock, Va.; after his death in Zanesville, Ohio, m (3) — McFarland. Am anxious to know the names of Maria Darlington's parents.—*F. B. H.*

3980. **WINN.** Did George Winn render any

Rev. service? Tradition says he was of Va. or the Carolinas, probably he was of S. C. He m Lettice — and came with her to Ky. very early, lived and d on their farm in Fayette Co. Ky. His will was probated 1805. They left many children. His will mentions his sons-in-law, Cotton, Hancock, Clay, Musick, Bradley, Herndon, Hendley, and sons Thomas, George and Adam. I would be very grateful for any gen. data of George and Lettice Winn. —L. C. H.

3981. GRAHAM. Wanted, to hear from a descendant of William Graham, of N. C., said to have served in the Rev. He m Betsy Raines in N. C. or Va. Their sons were Charles, b 1762, d in Texas at the age of 104 years, his mind not impaired, Robert, Hiram, Samuel and George, b 1818, d 1905 in Tenn. After the Rev. William Graham and his wife Betsy Raines moved to McNairy, Tenn. They d in Tenn. and have grandchildren now living in Texas and Tenn. who are very old.—M. E.

3982. PHELPS. Whom did Anna Phelps m? It is supposed that she lived in or near Wallingford, Conn. in the latter half of the 18th century. What part did she or her husband take in the Rev.? Give names of children.

(2) EDMOND. Wanted, name of wife and date of marriage of Robert Edmond of Fairfield Co. Conn., who served in the Rev. They had two daughters, Mary, who m Joseph Jackson at Redding Sept. 3, 1779, and Pattie, who m a Mr. Pierce.

(3) SMITH-TROWBRIDGE. Who were the parents of Deborah Smith who m Minor Trowbridge in Tully, N. Y. in 1808? Did they give Rev. service?—S. T. H.

3983. ALEXANDER-MERSHON. Did the father or any ancestor of James Alexander, who was b in Fayette, Ky. in 1788, have Rev. service? And who was his father? Said James Alexander m Sarah Mershon, b Culpeper Co. Va. 1785. Who was her father, and did he have Rev. service?—T. A. C.

3984. Information wanted concerning Rev. service and gen. data of the parents and grandparents of

(1) TURNER. Martha Turner, b 1815, m John Mason Ammerman 1847 in Bloomington, Ind. They had one son, James Richard.

(2) ELLER. Henry Eller, a Sergeant in the Civil War, b 1817, m Elizabeth Nancy Shreve 1845 in Bloomington, Ind. They had eight children, five daughters and three sons.

(3) BLINCO. Susan Blinco, m 1817 William L. Shreve, a Captain in the War of 1812, in Loudon Co. Va. They had ten children, six daughters and four sons.

(4) SHREVE. Benjamin Shreve, son of William Shreve and Freelove Dyer, m Anne Berry, d Loudon Co. Va. 1791.

3985. HILL-MCKINNEY. James Hill and Ruth McKinney m before 1790 in or near

Hagerstown, Md., whence they moved in 1804 to Marietta, Ohio. Ancestry of both desired, with all gen. data and Rev. service, if any.

(2) WILLIAMSON - CLAYPOOL or CLAYPOLE. Wanted, information of Moses Williamson and his wife — Claypool or Claypole, whom he m in Philadelphia about 1775. Did he serve in the Rev.? His sons, Moses, Samuel and James, settled in Ohio.

(3) MIDDLESWART-CLARK. Wanted, ancestry of Sarah Clark, who m Henry Middleswart (his second wife) about 1786 in Alleghany Co. Pa. At that time this part of Alleghany Co. may have been in Washington Co. She is said to have been from N. J. In 1814 they moved to Ohio. Their children, all b before they left Penna. were as follows: John, Molly, Elizabeth (these by his first wife); then Abram, b 1787, Charity, Hannah, Emily, Jacob, Nellie, Henry, Clark, Tunis, Susan, Jonathan, Franklin. Henry Middleswart, the father, was at one time interested in a mill at Charities (?) Creek, near Pittsburgh, probably near Saw Mill Run, opposite Pittsburgh.

(4) MILLER-STROUT. Wanted, any information about John Miller and Molly Stront, parents of Jacob Stront Miller (1786-1824). He was b in Penna., I have heard on the Monongahela River, going from there to Ohio. The parents of his father, John Miller, came from England or Ireland. Molly Stront's father was Jacob Stront, an English or German sea-captain, d in Philadelphia when Molly was six weeks old. His widow later m William Boswell. Wish particularly to find proof of John Miller's Rev. service, if any.

(5) WEST. What was ancestry of William West, who lived in Fairfax Co. Va., where he m Susannah Reed before 1796? He moved to Wood Co. Va., now Pleasants Co. West Va. in 1805. All of his children were b in Va., one of them, William West, b Feb. 23, 1796. Did William West Sr. or his father see Rev. service?

(6) McMECHEN. Wanted, names and information of father and mother of James McMechen (1748-1824) who lived at Captina, W. Va., about 30 miles below Wheeling. He had two brothers, Dr. McMechen who lived in Wheeling, Benjamin who lived near Wheeling; two sisters, Sallie and Jane, who lived in Ohio. All of them were b in Phila., where I have heard his father was a merchant. His father came from Scotland; his mother was English.

(7) DAVIDSON. Wanted, information of Hannah Davidson, wife of above James McMechen, probably m 1774-5, it is presumed in Phila. She was half Welsh, half English. They lived below Wheeling, had seven cabins burnt by the Indians. She was noted as a brave pioneer woman and there is some history which speaks of her. Would like to

know its name, and her ancestry and Rev. service, if any.—*J. A. B.*

3986. KNOX. I am searching for information of the Knox family that Pres. Polk belonged to. My gr. gr. grandmother was a Knox and m a Massey.—*J. H.*

3987. KING. Can any one give family history of John King, who was a miller in N. C. or Va. during the Rev.? He came over from Ireland as a soldier of the King, but during the Rev. he was so enraged at a man who taunted him with being a Tory that he shot him. The family tradition has it that millers were exempt from military service to enable them to provide bread for the soldiers. Has any one come into the D. A. R. from that line? His wife was a Miss Hutchinson, and his son Sanford served in the War of 1812 from N. C. or Ky. Another wife, — Duncan, received a pension.—*G. B. McA.*

3988. SHEPHERD, SHEPARD. MATHER-BURBANK. Thomas Shepherd m Mehitable Deane April 2, 1761, in Dedham, Mass. They were both of Dedham. Children, b in Dedham, Mass.: William, b Sept. 13, 1762 (baptized Dec. 5, 1762); Nathaniel, bapt. July 8, 1764; Thomas, bapt. Dec. 1, 1765; LUCY, bapt. Dec. 27, 1767, b Nov. 28, 1767; Anna, bapt. Oct. 28, 1770; Sally, bapt. Feb. 28, 1773. Who were the parents of Thomas Shepherd? When were they b, d, m? Did Thomas Shepherd or his father serve in the Rev.? This family disappears from Dedham records in 1773. Where did they move to, and when? Whom did Lucy Shepherd marry, and did her husband serve in the Rev.? \$5.00 will be paid for accurate answers to the above list of questions, with references for same.

Lucinda 7 Mather, b ? (between 1758 and 1765) was dau. of Richard 6 (Atherton 5, Timothy 4, Rev. Richard 3 Mather) according to the lineage of Rev. Richard Mather by Horace E. Mather of Hartford, Conn., pub. 1890. This book says that Lucinda 7 Mather m Dr. Shepard of Amsterdam, N. Y. Who was he? Wanted, his full name and dates, also his parents' names and dates. Did either Dr. Shepard or his father have any kind of Rev. service? Did Richard 6 Mather, father of Lucinda 7 Mather, b Windsor Conn. Nov. 21, 1708, lived Suffield, Conn., have Rev. service? The wife of Richard 6 Mather was Lois Burbank. They were m March 21, 1733-4. Would like names of her parents with dates and Rev. service, if any. Can any one give me the dates of birth and death of Lois (Burbank) Mather? Where did she and her husband spend their last years? I infer that they moved from Suffield, Conn. If so, where?

(2) MANN. Samuel Mann Jr. and Zipporah Billings his wife, of Wrentham Mass., had a son Ebenezer, b Wrentham, Mass. 1707, d

Worcester Co. Mass. 1782; m July 23, 1739 Mary Gould (?), who d probably in Shrewsbury, Mass., having gone there to live with her son Dr. Ebenezer Mann Jr. What are her dates and parentage, and did her husband Ebenezer Mann have Rev. service?

(3) REASONER-SPEAR-WILSON-HARVEY-JOHNSTON. Nicholas Reasoner of Holland, then France, a Huguenot. (When did this family come to America and where did they settle first?) m —? and had three sons. Were there daughters? Of the sons, Peter settled in Penna., Jacob in N. Y. and Garrett in Tenn. Did they first live in Va.? Peter m Molly Spear or Spears. Wanted, their dates her parents, and her father's Rev. service, if any. Did Peter Reasoner serve in the Rev.? They had a son John, b 1774 or 1784 either in Va. or Penna. A family record says he d 1838 aged 54 yrs. He m Elizabeth Wilson and the same record says she d 1857 aged 58. Who were her parents and did her father serve in the Rev.? They had a son Nathan b Feb. 20, 1820, in Ohio, d March 28, 1895 in Nebraska, m April 1853 Rachel Johnston, dau. of Jesse Johnston and his first wife Jane Harvey, who was dau. of Benjamin Harvey and Elizabeth Hawkins of Penna. Rachel Johnston was b Cambridge Ohio April 2, 1826 and d Oct. 24, 1904. Jesse Johnston, b Penna. 1799-1800, m (1) Jane Harvey, b Penna., d aged 33 yrs.; (2) Esther —, with whom he was living in 1850. Wanted, his parents' names, dates, Rev. service. Was his grandfather Col. Philip Johnston of N. J.? Wanted, Benjamin Harvey's and his wife Elizabeth Hawkins' parents' names, dates, Rev. service.

(4) ROBERTS-FITZ-HENRY. John Roberts m Ann Roberts, dau. of — Roberts and his wife — Lovingood, of Carolina (?) Wanted, their dates, parentage and Rev. ancestry. Were they related before marriage? Their son John, Jr. b 1823 in Ky., m Mary Ann FitzHenry of Dublin, Ireland, dau. of — FitzHenry and Ann Jane Cranwill his wife. Their dates wanted. John Jr. had a dau. Anna Jane Cranwill Roberts. What I am seeking is JUST ONE REV. LINE complete, with all dates, so application can be made for D. A. R. Will some one who has these records share them with me?—*L. G. N.*

3989. CLIFFORD. Richard Clifford, b East Kingston, N. H. Jan. 9, 1742-3, was the son of Richard and Judith (Woodman) Clifford; m Abigail French and settled in Poplin, N. H. where their eight children were b between 1766 and 1785. Did either Richard, father or son, perform Rev. service? Poplin, N. H., now Fremont, was set off from Brentwood in 1764, and had no representation until the Congress of Dec. 21, 1775, when it was classed with Raymond.—*C. W. N.*

3990. NEAL. Who was the father of Sally

Neal, who m Josiah Stackpole in 1800? Did — Neal serve in the Rev.? I believe the family to be from Portsmouth, N. H.—*M. H. S.*

3991. MORSE. Can any one tell me if Timothy Morse of Charlton, Mass. was a Rev. soldier?—*C. W. T.*

3992. STEVENS. Amos Stevens, b April 1743 near Stamford, Conn., was a private in Capt. Hopkins' Co. Col. Swift's Regt. (Conn. Men in the War of the Rev., pp. 328, 370, 651). He moved to N. Y. State where he d soon after the War of 1812. Wanted, name of his second wife, date of marriage, and dates of his birth and death. They had several children, among them a son named Robert.—*J. H. F.*

3993. SHEPARD. I am searching for the names and dates of birth of any of the 13 children of John Shepard, b Nov. 8, 1733, and his wife Elizabeth Sackett b. Sept. 13, 1734. Their home was in Westfield, Mass. until after the Rev., when they moved to Hebron, N. Y., taking some of their children with them. John Shepard served in the French and Indian Wars and was a lieutenant and capt. in the Rev. He was a brother of Gen. Shepard, the hero of Westfield.—*K. B. R.*

3994. INGRAM-MENEFFEE. Jonathan Ingram m. Barbara Menefee of Va. and settled in Logan Co. Ky. Their children were Rhoda, Jonas, Samuel, Garrett or Jarrett, James, Anna, Polly and Barbara. Who was the father of Barbara Menefee, wife of Jonathan Ingram? Was he in the Rev.?—*A. I.*

3995. MARIS-HOLIDAY. Aaron Maris, b May 5, 1774, m (1) Sarah Holliday. They both lived in N. C. and were m either in Chatham Co. or Orange Co. N. C. The Maris family were Quakers. Who were the parents of Sarah Holliday? Did her father have Rev. service? What was the date of her m to Aaron Maris? Aaron's brother, Thomas, b July 16, 1776, m Nov. 17, 1802, Jane Holiday, at Spring Meeting House, Orange Co. N. C. Were Jane and Sarah sisters?—*C. D. L.*

3996. DEAN-MARSHALL. Moses Dean, b N. Y. City (?), d N. Y. City 1845, m Mary Louise Marshall, b N. Y. City, d N. Y. City 1886. Their children were William Lenox b June 26, 1843, and Louise, b 1845. Is there Rev. service in these lines?

3997. WILSON-WEBB. Can the descendants of Dr. Samuel Webb of N. Y. who m Mary (Molly) Wilson, who was b Stamford Conn. March 7, 1780, dau. of Dr. John Wilson Sr. (b Stamford 1730, d there and will probated, Probate Records, Book 7, pp. 34, 41, 51, Stamford, Conn.), leaving part of his estate to "Molly, wife of Dr. Samuel Webb of N. Y.," give the Wilson lineage beyond 1787? Or can the descendants of Dr. Stephen Wilson, his son, who m Ann Rainer, give the early lineage, with any Rev. data? The children of Dr.

John Wilson Sr. were Phebe, Henry, James, Stephen, Mary, John Jr., all 4 sons being physicians like the father. Was this dau. Phebe named for her probable grandmother, Phebe Middlebrook, dau. of Seph Middlebrook, who m Samuel Wilson of Stamford in 1689? Through Dr. John Wilson Jr. I have data, from family Bible, etc. back to 1787, the d of Dr. John W. Sr., but would greatly value further data, including Rev. services, if any.—*M. W. B.*

3998. MARVIN. Daniel, son of Josiah and Elizabeth (De Forest) Marvin, b abt. 1735-6 Norwalk, Conn., d there 1780, m Abigail Gruman of Norwalk. Did he serve in the Rev.?

(2) BECKER-ALLEN. John Becker, b Blenheim, N. J. Sept. 16, 1798, m Lurana Allen, b Scipio N. Y. April 21, 1799. Who were his parents? Did his father give Rev. service? Would like information of any of the Becker family now living near Blenheim.

(3) HULBERT-HYDE. Jesse Hyde, b Feb. 26, 1773 at Norwalk, Conn., m Mary Hulbert, b Jan. 9, 1778 at Bennington, Vt. Who were her parents?—*M. E. M.*

3999. BLACK-ALEXANDER. Hugh Black, son of Moses and Martha Black, b Sept. 19, 1759, Drumore Township, Lancaster Co. Penna., served in the Rev., m (1) Mary McIntire; (2) Martha Alexander. They lived in Cecil Co. Md. near Port Deposit, Md. moved to Ontario Co. N. Y. in 1807, and d there. Wanted, Martha Black's middle name, place of birth, parents' names. Parents' names of Martha Alexander also desired, her place of birth, and anything regarding her ancestry.—*C. S. McC.*

4000. WRIGHT. Joseph Wright, d abt. 1850, m 1819 Elizabeth Treckell, b Aug. 17, 1800. They were m and lived in Richland Co. Ohio, and their children were Thomas Jefferson, b 1820, Elizabeth, Mary Ann, John C., Washington, Ephraim, Joseph, Edward, Mary Wilson, Mitchel, Stephen and Milton. Can any one tell me of the ancestry of Joseph Wright or his native state?

(2) TRICKLE, TREAKLE, TREKEL, TREEKLE. Mary Wilson, b Nov. 18, 1769, m Christopher Trickle, b May 1, 1767. Their children: Elizer (b 1796); Mariah (1798); Elizabeth (1800); Thomas W. (1793); Steven (1802); Jefferson (1805); Washington (1805); Edward (1807); Julyan (1809) are said to have been b near Ellicott's Mill in Anne Arundel Co. Md. Names of Christopher's parents? Is there Rev. service?

(3) WILSON. I would like to know about the parents of Mary Wilson mentioned above.

(4) DEXTER. Nathaniel Dexter m Betty —, supposed to have been a Washburn. Their children were Lotan, b 1801; Nathaniel, Japheth, Keziah, Dina, Meroy and Chloe Washburn, b May 9, 1808. It is supposed that Nathaniel Dexter was b in Mass., removed to Maine,

and lived around Orono or Stillwater. Information desired.

(5) MAXFIELD. Is there Rev. service in this line? Nathaniel Maxfield, b May 24, 1743, m 1766 Mehitable Rowe, b July 4, 1744. In 1790 he was living at Epping, N. H.—E. W.

4001. RAY-SHECKLE. Would like the dates of William Ray, who came from Manchester, England, and settled in Md. about 1730. Said to have had about 13 children, one, Joseph, b May 25, 1735, in Anne Arundel Co. Md., m Mary Sheckle. Her parents' names and data desired.

(2) BEARD. Wanted, parents and grandparents of Catherine Beard, who m John Sheckel Ray in 1787. When was she b?

(3) HAYS. Wanted, parentage of Nancy Hays, b Washington Co. Ky. Meh. 25, 1803, m Dennis Ray 1821. He d 1884. Dates and proofs needed.—E. T. Q.

4002. SMEDLEY. Rev. service desired of Jediah Smedley, b in Mass. Dec. 17, 1776; d March 14, 1823; m Ruth Grover, who d at Housfield (T), N. Y.—E. M. B.

4003. PAYNE-JOHNSON. The grandfather of Priscilla Payne was Henry Payne, one of the early Virginian settlers of Fayette Co. Ky. He had been a lieut. in the Rev. War. He was also the grandfather of Madison C. Johnson and Richard M. Johnson, ninth Vice-President of the U. S., their mother's maiden name being Elizabeth Payne. Priscilla Payne was b in Fredericksburg, Va. March 18, 1784. I should like to know the names of her father and mother, and any other information regarding the family. Has any one joined the D. A. R. through the service of Lieut. Henry Payne?—R. P. S.

4004. HARRIS-NETHERLANDS. William Harris settled in Albemarle Co. Va., 1739, d 1788, made magistrate of the Co. 1746, m Mary Netherlands. His ch. were Matthew, m — Tate; Sarah, m — Mosby and was the great-grandmother of Col. John S. Mosby, of Confederate fame; Elizabeth, m John Digges; Catherine, m — Steger; John, m (1) Frances Rowzy; (2) Sarah Barclay (widow); William Jr., m — Wagstaff; Mary, m — Goodfolk; Benjamin, b Jan. 30, 1754, m Mary Woods; Ann, m Hawes Coleman; Judith, m George Coleman. Had William Harris Rev. service? Wife's dates? Who were his parents?

(2) HARRIS-WARE. Benjamin Harris, son of William and Mary (Netherland) Harris, b Jan. 30, 1754, d March 21, 1834, m Oct. 27, 1785 Mary Woods, dau. of Samuel Woods of Albemarle Co. Va., b 1767, d Aug. 15, 1844. Benjamin Harris served in the Rev. War as a private, under Capt. Chas. Lewis, Nicholas Lewis and John Marks, was made Capt. of Va. State Militia in 1799, was at the siege of York. He had 11 children, among them Dr. Wm. A.,

who m his cousin, Elizabeth Harris and moved to Ill. in 1837; Col. George W.; Mary, m a cousin Henry T. Harris; Samuel Woods Harris, b Albemarle Co. Va. Apr. 9, 1793; d St. Clair Co. Mo. Feb. 5, 1852, m Dec. 5, 1816 Sarah Miller Ware, b Apr. 14, 1796, d St. Clair Co. Mo. Nov. 19, 1861. She was b in Goochland Co. Va., I think. Who were her parents? Their dates? Had her father Rev. service? Who were the other ch. of Benjamin Harris?

(3) WOODS. Samuel Woods of Albemarle Co. Va. had Barbara, m George Martin; Jane, m Joseph Montgomery; Elizabeth, m William B. Harris; John B.; Margaret, m Richard Netherland and moved to Sullivan Co. Tenn.; and Mary, m Benjamin Harris. Mary was b 1767. Had Samuel Woods Rev. service? Was this the Samuel Woods who served as lieut. under Col. James Wood and who applied for a pension from Mercer Co., Ky. in 1823 and d Feb. 3, 1826? Who was his wife? What were her dates? When and where was Samuel Woods b? Who were his parents?

(4) HOUSTON-MONTGOMERY. Mrs. John Houston, a widow, came from Ireland in 1735, with her son John Houston and his wife, who was a Miss Cunningham. They settled first in Penna., then moved to Augusta Co. Va. His wife d in 1754. His ch. were Robert, a Rev. soldier, father of Gen. Samuel Houston; Isabella, Esther, m John Montgomery; John, Samuel, Matthew and James. Did John Houston Sr. have Rev. service? When did he d? Esther Houston who m John Montgomery had the following ch.: John, who was Rev. John Montgomery of Augusta Co. Va.; Mollie, Ann, James, Dorcas and John Lowry, who m and settled in Rockbridge Co. Va.; Jane, Robert; Esther, who m Rev. Samuel Doak Oct. 31, 1775 and settled in Washington Co. Tenn.; Alexander and Isabelle. Did John Montgomery Sr. have Rev. service? He was a Presbyterian minister, as was his son John. Give his dates and his wife's.—A. A. B.

4005. MASSEY. William Massey was a merchant in Charleston, S. C. during the Revolution. He was an Adjutant. Wanted, dates of birth and death and name of wife with other genealogical data.—J. H.

4006. JONES. Elisabeth Hungerford, b May 30, 1769, in New Fairfield, Conn., m (1) Samuel Tuttle, abt. 1800; m (2) Solomon Jones, abt. 1806-7. In 1810 and 1811 they lived in Florida, N. Y. where their dau. Laura Jones, my mother, was b Jan. 12, 1811. Who were the ancestors of Solomon Jones? Was he descended from Solomon Jones of Weston, private in Capt. Samuel Lamson's Co. of militia, which marched to the alarm Apr. 1775; or from Solomon Jones, private in Capt. Jothan Houghton's Co. Col. Jodiah Whitney's Regt., who served from 1778 to Sept. 14, 1778 at R. I. (co. raised for six

weeks); or from Solomon Jones Sergeant-Major Col. Jacob Davis 5th, Worcester Co., who served 15 days, marched to Tiverton, R. I. July 1780; or from Major Thomas of R. I.?

(2) BACHELDER-WALTON. Andrew Walton m Mary, dau. of William Bachelder. Was Wm. descended from a Rev. ancestor?

(3) PROCTOR-WALTON. James Walton m 1797 Ruth Proctor, dau. of Robert Proctor, both of Mass. Had she Rev. ancestors?

Were any of the above descended from Signers of the Declaration?—*M. W. H.*

4007. DEMAREST. Wanted, dates of birth and death of John Demarest, who d either in 1824 or 1825 at Portsmouth, Va. Name of his first wife and her dates? They had one child, Susan, b Portsmouth, Va. Dec. 27, 1821, d Feb. 7, 1855. Who were John Demarest's parents? Was his father in the Rev.? He m (2) in 1823 Mary Ann King, dau. of Benjamin and Hannah (Davis) King, of Washington, D. C., m in Newark, Del. Oct. 10, 1793. Mary Ann King Demarest m (2) Archibald Hutchinson, and d 1889.—*E. B. H.*

4008. BENNETT-QUIGLY. *L. L. H.*, 59 Elm St., London, Ohio, would like to correspond with a descendant of Eleven (Leven) Bennett who m Sarah Quigly of Penna. Has anyone been admitted to the D. A. R. on his record? Has anyone a record of the Quigly family of Penna. to which Sarah Quigly belonged?

4009. HARRIS-CRAMPTON. I have been trying for several years to locate in the Rev. history my ancestor, Benjamin Harris. He was b 1742, m Jane Crampton (?), b 1746. He d 1820, she 1828. Their ch. were John Crampton, Jane, Sarah, George, Mony, Lydia, Rachel, Benjamin C. The gr. father of my Benjamin d on his way to this country, within sight of the shores of America, and was buried on Manhattan Island, 1728. His name was Samuel. His sons were John, Thomas, Samuel, Robert, James, Charles and Richard. They all settled first in Penna. Later all except John went, to Cecil Co. Md. Finally all except John and Thomas (Thomas remained in Md.) went to N. C. and settled in Mecklenburg Co. on Rocky River. I think it was at Redstone, Penna. that they first settled. I would like to get in correspondence with some of the descendants of these 7 brothers, and also with some Cramp-ton. My mother was Sarah Miranda Harris, dau. of Dr. Crampton Smith Harris, the son of Dr. and Rev. John Crampton Harris, whose father was Benjamin Harris.—*J. E. H.*

4010. HESS-McDOUGALL. Is anyone in the region of the Mohawk valley looking up the Hess and McDougall records in vicinity of Palatine?—*F. K. C.*

4011. BOWEN-CLARKE. Rachel Clarke, dau. of Christopher Clarke, m John Bowen. When and where was Christopher Clarke b and when did he die? I think he m — Terrell, and

have heard they were all from Va. Did he serve in the Rev.?—*W. C.*

4012. WILLIAMS. Burrell Williams d in Chatham Co. N. C. 1816 when will was probated. Was his father Thomas Williams of Orange Co. N. C.? Will exchange Rev. service for names of his parents or other data.—*L. N.*

4013. HAND. Ancestry desired of Margaret Hand, who m Joseph Gregg Jan. 22, 1793, in Loudon Co. Va. Who were her parents? Have either Rev. service?—*L. J. E.*

4014. ELLIOTT. Thomas Elliott, who fought in the Battle of King's Mountain, m Elizabeth —. Her name and dates desired.

(2) BRAMLETTE. Wanted, ancestry of Thomas Elliott Bramlette, War Governor of Ky.

(3) FOX. Margaret Miller, dau. of Daniel Miller, a Rev. soldier, m John Fox in Philadelphia abt. 1817. John Fox's ancestry desired.—*M. M. B.*

4015. ANDERSON. Isabella Anderson, b Oct. 26, 1756, m May 25, 1779, Isaac Davidson, b 1746 in East N. J. They lived in Harrison Co. West Va. Would like the names of her parents.

(2) LOHR-SCHRINER. Michael Lohr, b near York Co. Penna. 1755, enlisted in Washington Co. Md. 1781, m Catherine Schriener. Who were their parents?

(3) HAZEN. Eunice Hazen, b 1753, m at Newport, Luzerne Co., Penna., Jan. 22, 1767, Jacob Reeder, b 1742. Who were her parents?

(4) TRUESDELL. John Truesdell m at Ridgefield, Conn., Mary Whitney, b 1742, dau. of Daniel and Thankful Burt Whitney. Would like ancestry of John Truesdell.—*F. L. T.*

4016. BLACK OR BLOCK. Charlotte Black or Block, probably of Md., Del., or Va., had a commission from Gen. George Washington for services rendered during the Rev. It is spoken of in some State History of Ala. Would like any information as regards it.—*E. C.*

4017. PETTUS. In the list of Va. Rev. soldiers is the name of Stephen Pettus, one of the Hanover Petitioners May 24, 1782. Wife's and children's names desired. Thomas Pettus is also given as one of the Hanover Petitioners, and also received a bounty warrant. Who were his wife and children? What relation were Stephen and Thomas?

(2) LAFFERTY. John Lafferty, d on Lafferty's Creek in Independence Co. Ark. 1815. In his 17th year he joined Capt. Smith's Co. Col. Thomas Polk's Regt. 4th N. C. Continental Line. He enlisted June 10, 1776; was mustered out June 15, 1779. He was also with Jackson at New Orleans. Would like official proof of the same.

(3) STILLWELL. Joseph Stillwell, b 1752 Monmouth Co. N. J., enlisted in the 1st Regt. N. J. Troops, was soon promoted to the Captaincy, and was in command at the affair at Sandy Hook in June 1776. He was then made Capt. in Col. Forman's Battalion July 18,

1776, in detached militia service. He was in the Battle of Monmouth and suffered all the hardships of the many campaigns in N. J. He arrived at Arkansas Post, Ark. in 1798 and d there Sept. 10, 1822. Would like official proof of the above.—C. B. E.

4018. DAVIS-GIBBS. Lucy Gibbs, m Jonathan Davis, b in England. Who were her parents? When and where b? Did her father serve in the Rev.? Did Jonathan Davis?

(2) EASTON. Nancy Easton, b in Phila., m Rev. William Davis. Who was her father? Her mother? Did her father serve in the Rev.?

(3) CLARK. Christopher Clark m Mildred Terrel March 13, 1757. Did he serve in the Rev.? Who were his parents?—W. C.

4019. COLLARD. Wanted, information of Joseph Collard, a Rev. soldier, or of his descendants.—C. A. L. C.

4020. CONWELL-THOMAS. William Conwell and Mary Thomas were m Feb. 1804. John Conwell and Elizabeth Barnes were m Feb. 1804 by Rev. J. Swift. Where were they m? Who were the ancestors of the Conwells and Mary Thomas? Did they give Rev. service?—O. U. C.

4021. SWIFT. Wanted, dates of b, m, d of Flowery Swift of Franklin Co. Ga., who came to Ga. from Va. What was his wife's name? Was Tyree, b 1776, the only child? If not, who were the others? Was William Swift, b 1764, a brother or a son of Flowery Swift?

(2) FURR, FURRER, FURROW. Wanted, Rev. service, if any, dates and wife's name of Leonard Furr, who was living in Moore Co. N. C. in 1790 and afterwards moved to Miss. His children were Paul, Henry, Jacob, Isham, Christian, Mary and Lizzie. Paul was b 1786 and settled in Hall Co. Ga. Furr was sometimes called Furrer or Furrow by the early Furrs in N. C.—B. C. F.

4022. FITZHUGH. Did Henry Fitzhugh of "Bellair," b Feb. 1, 1747, render any service which would entitle a descendant to D. A. R. membership? What was the date of his death? S. M.

4023. WOOLFORD - WHITELY - BROOKS - DUNNOCK. Capt. Stevens Woolford (1729-1800), son of Col. Thomas Woolford, m Elizabeth Whitely, sister of Col. William Whitely of Caroline Co. Md. Their children were Stevens, Arthur, William, Betsy, Molly, Sally, Nancy, Rosy, Lotty, Caty. William Woolford, son of Capt. Stevens Woolford, was b 1775, d 1852, m (1) Sarah Jones, dau. of Col. Thomas Jones, and had one son, William Washington Woolford, who d 1802; m (2) Sarah Brooks, sister of Capt. Joseph Brooks. Their children were John B., Stevens B., Joseph B., Harriet B., Sally B., Elizabeth B., Theresa B. The above Joseph B. Woolford was b Aug. 23, 1816, m Jan. 6, 1848, Susan E. Dunnoek, b Somerset Co. Md., July 1, 1825. WANTED TO KNOW:

1st, the Rev. record of Capt. Stevens Woolford; 2d, If Elizabeth Whitely Woolford his wife was the dau. of a Rev. soldier; 3rd, If Sarah Brooks Woolford was a dau. or grand-dau. of a Rev. soldier; 4th, If Susan E. (Dunnoek) Woolford was the descendant of a Rev. soldier.

(2) HARRIS. I am a descendant of Harrison Harris, d Woodford Co. Ky. 1779. We know he came from Va. and suppose it was from Goochland Co. from the fact that we have found there the marriage record of two of his children. WANTED TO KNOW, if he was a Rev. soldier, and to what family he belonged.

4024. LOGAN. Wanted, the names, dates and Rev. record, if any, of the parents of Ezekiel Smith Logan, b Aug. 13, 1770, d July 15, 1825, m Margaret V. Harrison, dau. of Benjamin Harrison of Rockingham Co. Va. I think Ezekiel Logan was born in Penna. and was a cousin of Col. Benjamin Logan.

(2) SMITH. What was the genealogy of Abigail Smith, wife of John Adams?—H. E. R.

4025. FOX. Has anyone proven Rev. descent through the Fox family of Hunterdon Co. N. J.?

(2) WYCKOFF-WIKOFF. Has anyone proven Rev. descent through the Wikoff or Wyckoff family which lived in or near Easton, Penna., or near by in N. J.? This family had connection with the Fox, Hunter, Martin families.

(3) HUGHES, HUGHS. Are any of the Hughes or Hughs lines proven through or related to Caty Hughs who m James McAllister, a Rev. soldier from York or Adams Co. Penna.?—M. E. M. R.

4026. MOORE. Information desired of Elizabeth Moore's father. Was he in the Rev.? She was the second wife of John Crawford.—F. A. Y.

4027. HORNER-BARNS. Joseph Horner and Sarah Barns were m in 1791. Their first child, Abel, was b March 26, 1792, in N. J. The mother was 16 years older than her son Abel, and her husband 16 years older than she. Wanted, exact date of the m, names of their parents, and Rev. services.

(2) JARVIS-COLE-DEAVER. Orman Jarvis and Hannah Cole were m Dec. 31, 1786, in Baltimore Co. Md. Her mother's name was Ann, m (2) to — Deaver June 5, 1779 by Rev. Mr. Allison. Wanted, Ann Deaver's maiden name; the name of her first husband, — Cole; the parents of Orman Jarvis; and Rev. service for any of these.—M. H. S.

4028. APPLY. Wanted, name of husband of Eunice, dau. of Ezekiel Apply, private in 8th Regt. Conn. Line, enlisted from Litchfield Co. July 1775.

(2) NEY. Wanted, civil or military record between 1775 and 1787 to prove patriotism of John Ney (1715-1797) of Exeter, R. I.—J. D.

4029. SMITH-ZINE. William and Jannette Smith were married in Limerick, Ireland Dec. 19, 1751, and emigrated to America, settling at Bedford, Penna. where their son, Robert, my great grandfather, was born in 1753. May 12, 1791 he married Susanna (or Susan) Zine, and went to Logan, Ohio about 1813, where my grandfather, Robert Davidson Smith (b 1797 in Bedford Co. Penna.) married Mary Rinehart, my grandmother, for his second wife. There is supposed to be a Rev. record for the ancestors of both Robert Davidson Smith and Mary Rinehart. Information with all gen. data desired. Can any one tell me of the ancestry of Susan Zine, and if her father was a Rev. soldier?—*G. S. H.*

4030. ANDERSON. Was William Anderson of Augusta Co. Va. about whom there is a query in the March Magazine the son of James, who came over in 1746 or earlier, and brother of Samuel, b 1746 on the ocean? I have Samuel's parents and descendants, but not his brothers or sisters.—*A. N. M.*

4031. BERRY-WISNER. Garret Berry m Rachel Tuttle and had a son Jesse who m Elizabeth Ann Wisner, dau. of Dr. Cornelius Wisner and his wife Rebecca Sutton. Both Jesse and his wife are buried in N. J., he in Stillwater, Sussex Co. and she in Knowlton, Warren Co. Their son Garret was my gr. father. Wanted, dates and Rev. service on both sides of the family. Garret and Rebecca Berry at one time lived in N. Y. State and later came to N. J.—*B. B. G.*

4032. BOWEN-HILL. Wanted, names of parents of Priscilla Bowen, wife of Robert Hill; Hannah Bowen, wife of Isaac Heaton; and John Bowen, who owned a farm in Frederick Co. Va., ten miles north of Winchester, abt. 1800. Robert Hill of southern Penna. or Va. fought in the Rev. His wife was Priscilla Bowen and there were 3 sons, Johnston, Rees and Jacob. Robert Hills served in companies from Washington, Bedford, York, Cumberland and Lancaster Counties, Penna. Can any of these be identified with the Robert Hill above?

(2) WILLIAMS. Wanted, father's and mother's names of William and Ann Williams of southern Penna. and the co. in which they lived. William Williams (1768-1853) m (1) Rachel Woodruff, Nov. 27, 1794; two children, Penelope, wife of Dr. McCally, and John; m (2) Catherine Jackson; two children, Katherine, m Beverly Lurly, and Mary Payne, wife of Dr. Michael Dorsey Gittings. Wm. Williams moved from Penna. to Clarksburg, Va., where he d. Ann Williams m Richard Lewis, an iron-master of Berks Co. Penna. abt. 1790. They had 3 children, Williams, Joseph and Elizabeth, who m Jacob Hill.—*M. T. H.*

4033. GIVENS-HADDON. My gr. father John T. Givens came to Florida as a boy in 1836.

His father, John Givens of Due West, S. C., m the Widow Strickley, dau. of Abrim and Jane Haddon of Due West, S. C. Abrim Haddon was killed by the Tories while home on a visit to his family, and his grave in Due West, S. C. is still marked with stones. In what Co. did he serve? I am sure John Givens' father was in the Rev., for my gr. father told us that George Givens who was a Capt. in the Rev. was his cousin, and there were five Givens brothers from Carolina in the war. Can anyone help us to find out which was our great grandfather?—*J. G. McK.*

4034. WINGENON. Wanted, names of wife and children of Wingenon, a Delaware Indian from Ohio, and whom they married, with dates. Rev. service desired.

(2) KILBUCK. Charles Kilbuck was with Washington at Valley Forge. Proof of service desired, also names of his wife and children, with all dates.

(3) JOURNEYCAKE. Charles Journeycake (1817-1894), son of ——— Journeycake (given name desired) and Sally ———. Who were her parents?—*E. P. N.*

4035. HISSOM, HISSEM. Thomas Hissom or Hissem, private in Capt. Caspar Weitzel's Co. Col. Miles' Regt. of Penna. in 1776, m whom? Both their dates of b and d desired.—*C. L. P. H.*

4036. NORRIS-PIPER. Wanted, dates and Rev. record of Capt. Benjamin Norris and his wife Sarah Wiggan of Pembroke, N. H. When and where did their dau. Sally Norris m Lieut. Samuel Piper of N. H.?

(2) KEITH. Wanted, Rev. services and dates of Daniel Keith and his wife Lydia Keyser. He was a son of John and Hannah (Washburn) Keith of East Bridgewater, Mass. Daniel's dau. Betsy Keith m in 1781 Thomas Sherman, who served several years in the Rev. armies.

(3) BABCOCK. What was the Rev. record of Ezekiel Babcock and his wife Eunice Billings of Westerly, R. I.? Their dau. Martha m 1792 Nathaniel Eells, 3d, a Minute Man.

(4) FOLSOM. Is there Rev. service for Daniel Folsom or his wife Hulda Eastman, whose dau. Betsey Folsom m 1774 Joseph Hoyt of Salisbury, Mass., who signed the Association Test?

(5) STIMPSON. William Stimpson, b 1774, m 1803 Phoebe Wright, dau. of George Wright, a Conn. Rev. soldier. Was this the William Stimpson whose father was a paymaster in the Rev. army, and who was dragged from his horse by thieves, but they could not catch the horse, which ran home with the money and gave the alarm, so that his master was rescued? I should be very glad of the names and dates in this line.—*K. E. B.*

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The monthly meeting of the Board of Management of the N. S. C. A. R. was held April 8, 1915, in the Children's Room, Memorial Continental Hall.

The meeting was called to order by the founder, Mrs. Lothrop, and all recited the Lord's Prayer.

The secretary's minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The corresponding secretary reported as follows:

Received \$2.13

Balance from previous month... 15.11
Disbursed for postage 2.65
Blanks sent 202
Letters written 9

A letter was read from the Constitution Chapter indorsing Mrs. Emig's work and asking for her reappointment.

The registrar presented 96 candidates for election and the secretary was instructed to cast the ballot.

The treasurer reported as follows:

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| Balance March 1st..... | \$373.85 |
| Receipts | 292.50 |
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| Disbursements | 44.48 |
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| Current balance | \$621.87 |
| Total balance | \$5,387.60 |

It was moved and carried to accept the offer of a silver cup, made by Mrs. Menges. This cup to be presented next year to the child writing the best paper on some historic event during the Revolution.

The report of the vice-president in charge of organization was as follows: Resignations, Mrs. K. P. Brunt, State director of Iowa; Mrs. Block, Pres. Little Men and Women of '76, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mrs. W. A. Frey, Pres. Col. Bruyn Soc., Kingston, N. Y.

Appointments, Mrs. Kenyon, Pres. Little Men and Women of '76; Mrs. Marion H. Wheeler, Pres. to organize Brookline, Mass.; Mrs. Louise H. Staples, Pres. "Our Flag" Soc., Winthrop, Mass.; Miss Sara B. Bartlett, Pres. "Capt. Elijah Hall," Roxbury, Mass.; Mrs. Julia Baker, Pres. to organize W. Roxbury, Mass.; Mrs. James M. Woodruff, Pres. "Kahoka," Mo.; Mrs. S. Louise Marsh, Webster Grove, Mo.; Miss Jennie F. Curry, Pres. "St. Louis" Soc., St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Rebecca Martin, Pres. "Col. Bruyn" Soc., Kingston,

N. Y.; Mrs. Clayton Emig, Pres. "Gov. Thomas Wells" Soc., Washington, D. C.; Mrs. E. M. Hoffman, Pres. "Gen. Sullivan" Soc., Elmira, N. Y.; Mrs. Willard Kellar, Pres. Oriskany Soc., Little Falls, N. Y.

A letter was read from Mrs. Emig in which she asked that her Senior Soc. be allowed to place a wreath on the tomb of Martha Washington. This request was granted.

Mrs. Towner announced that the children would again be the guests of the Mount Vernon Association on their trip to Mount Vernon.

The National Officers were nominated as follows: Pres., Mrs. Albert Baird Cummins; Vice-Pres. Presiding, Mrs. Eleanor Washington Howard; Vice-Pres. in Charge of Organization of Local Societies, Mrs. Lawrence Quirollo; Recording Secretary, Miss Catherine E. Custis; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Gaius M. Brumbaugh; Treasurer, Mrs. Violet Blair Janin; Chaplain, Mrs. Chas. Brown; Registrar, Mrs. J. B. G. Custis; Historian, Mrs. Walter Beach. Vice-Presidents, Miss Grace Pierce, Mrs. Joseph Wood, Miss Eliza O. Denniston, Miss E. C. Tulloch, Miss M. N. Hooper, Mrs. Horace Towner, Mrs. Frank Mondell, Mrs. Samuel Ammon, Mrs. David E. Finley, Mrs. Jesse Ramsburgh.

Respectfully submitted,
CATHERINE E. CUSTIS, *Recording Secy.*

Additions to the Library

HISTORY OF MUHLENBERG COUNTY, by Otto A. Rothert. John P. Morton & Co., Louisville, Ky. \$5.00.

Muhlenberg County, Kentucky, named for General J. P. G. Muhlenberg, has a most interesting history. Its first settlers were from Virginia and North Carolina, a number of whom were Revolutionary Soldiers, though the majority were sons of Revolutionary soldiers. Its court records have been well preserved and easily obtainable, the author has confined his effort to collecting the fast disappearing traditions and less attainable material hitherto unpublished. In text and footnotes are given the names of the children and other family data of many of the pioneers—an important feature, the more so as only such as could be

verified are printed. There is also an entertaining account of the formation and early days of the county with many biographical sketches woven into the text. There is also mention of many families who on their way from Virginia and North Carolina to the West were in Kentucky for a generation and the volume is completed by an excellent index.

PIONEER SETTLERS OF GRAYSON COUNTY, VA., by B. F. Nuckolls, King Printing Co., Bristol, Tenn. Illustrated. \$3.00.

This genealogical review of the pioneers of Grayson County, Va., was written by one who was descended from some of the pioneers and brought up among other descendants. He has

been careful in his researches and has gathered together much valuable material. The following names are included in the list: Asbury, Anderson, Blaire, Bourne, Bryan, Canute, Carico, Coltrane, Cooley, Cornett, Cox, Davis, Diekey, Dickenson, Dow, Early, Felts, Fulton, Garland, Garrison, Goodykoontz, Gwyn, Johnston, Jones, Kenney, Kyle, La Rowe, Lenoir, Lundy, MacAmant, Moore, McMullan, Nuckolls,

Oglesby, Osborne, Pendleton, Perkins, Pugh, Phipps, Phleger, Piper, Reeves, Scott, Sheffy, Smith, Swift, Thomas, Vaughn, Ward, Waugh, Worrell, Young.

ERRATA: In the March issue of *THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION* magazine, the price of Parson's Genealogy was given as \$15.00 instead of \$5.00.

Marriage Record Exchange

Through the National Committee on Historical Research

Gifts to the Historical Research and Preservation of Records Committee, through the Historian General's Office.

March 17, 1915.

Arkansas.

Account of the Sons of the American Revolution, gift of Mrs. S. P. Davis, Regent of Little Rock Chapter.

California.

History and Report of El Toyon Chapter, gift of Mrs. George W. Leistner.

Illinois.

Two hundred and fifty Marriage Records from Warren County, gift of Mrs. A. G. Pierce, Historian of Mildred Warner Washington Chapter.

History of Monmouth, gift of Mrs. A. G. Pierce.

Marriage Records from Rock Island County, gift of Mrs. Frank W. Bahusen.

Fifty-six Marriage Records from Mrs. A. G. Pierce, Warren County.

Newspaper clippings from Monmouth, gift of Mrs. A. G. Pierce.

History of the Disciples of Christ in Illinois, gift of Mrs. N. S. Haynes.

Iowa.

First Marriage License issued in Monona County.

Account of Lewis and Clark Expedition up the Missouri River, gift of Abbie Dunham MacMillan, Historian of Onawa Chapter.

Kentucky.

2,292 Marriage Records from Jefferson County.

Louisiana.

Copy of Will Book No. 1—1812.

Inscriptions from old tombstones in St. Louis Cemetery, New Orleans, gifts of Mrs. Jay W. Tucker.

Maine.

Reports from the Chapters in the State, gift of Miss L. T. Ames.

Maryland.

History of Jacob Hall, Surgeon and Educator, 1747-1812. By J. Hall Pleasants.

Inventory of Benjamin Gill, gift of Mrs. George W. Hodges.

Family Histories from Snow Hill.

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Massachusetts.

History of Thomas Sawyer of Lancaster.

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List of Revolutionary Soldiers from Antrim, gift of Molly Aiken Chapter, through Mrs. B. J. Wilkinson.

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List of Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves, gift of Miss Stella Florine Broadhead.

Address on the Battle of Fort Washington, gift of Mrs. T. H. Boorman.

List of Revolutionary Soldiers' Graves buried in Delaware County.

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A Genealogical History from Northampton County, at the head of Roanoke Falls. Gift of Miss Ursula M. Daniel, Halifax.

Inscription on the grave of Mary Montford Jones.

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MRS. HELEN E. OPDYKE (nee Latta), wife
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felt.

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HAROLD V. STORY,
Notary Public, New York County,
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(My commission expires March 30, 1915.)

National Board of Management

Regular Meeting, Saturday, April 17, 1915

The regular meeting of the National Board of Management was called to order by the President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story, in the Board Room of Memorial Continental Hall, at 10:25 a. m., Saturday, April 17, 1915.

Mrs. Lockwood, Chaplain General, opened the meeting with prayer, the members of the Board uniting in the Lord's Prayer.

The President General referred feelingly to the loss the Society had sustained in the death of the beloved and honored member and ex-National Officer, Mrs. Miranda B. Tulloch, and to the passing away of other valued members.

The following members responded to roll call: President General, Mrs. William Cumming Story. Vice-Presidents General: Mrs. Thomas Day, Tennessee; Mrs. Kite, Ohio; Mrs. Perley, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Gray, Missouri; Mrs. Dinwiddie, Indiana; Mrs. Minor, Connecticut; Mrs. Leary, Washington; Mrs. Abbott, New Hampshire; Mrs. Smallwood, District of Columbia; Mrs. Davis, Minnesota; Mrs. Crosby, Wisconsin. Active Officers: Mrs. Lockwood, Chaplain General; Mrs. Boyle, Recording Secretary General; Mrs. Burrows, Corresponding Secretary General; Mrs. Mann, Organizing Secretary General; Mrs. Brumbaugh, Registrar General; Mrs. Ransdell, Treasurer General; Mrs. Bassett, Historian General; Mrs. Orton, Director General in Charge of Report to Smithsonian Institution; Mrs. Sternberg, Librarian General. State regents: Mrs. Wassell, Arkansas; Mrs. Tarbell, Colorado; Mrs. Buel, Connecticut; Mrs. Greenawalt, District of Columbia; Mrs. Frissell, Florida; Mrs. Parker, Georgia; Mrs. Page, Illinois; Mrs. Robertson, Indiana; Mrs. Guernsey, Kansas; Mrs. Glone, Kentucky; Mrs. Wallis, Louisiana; Mrs. Robinson, Maine; Mrs. Hogan, Maryland; Mrs. Jenkins, Massachusetts; Mrs. Squires, Minnesota; Mrs. Fox, Mississippi; Mrs. Salisbury, Missouri; Mrs. Goss, New Hampshire; Mrs. Gedney, New Jersey; Mrs. Augsbury, New York; Mrs. Reynolds, North Carolina; Mrs. Young, North Dakota; Mrs. Hamilton, Ohio; Miss Crowell, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Bowen, Rhode Island; Mrs. Calhoun, South Carolina; Mrs. Keator, South Dakota; Mrs. Rose, Texas; Mrs. Allen, Utah; Mrs. Hazen, Vermont; Mrs. Maupin, Virginia; Mrs. McCleary, Washington; Mrs. Smith, West Virginia; Mrs. Van Ostrand, Wisconsin. State vice-regents: Mrs. Winter, Alabama; Mrs. Campbell, Michigan.

The President General stated that inasmuch as she would report to the Congress on Monday and Tuesday she would not present a

formal report at this time, but would express her pleasure at seeing so many of the members of the Board, and referred with much appreciation to the beautiful spirit of hospitality that had been shown her in her visits to so many of the States, and her regret that she had not been able to accept more of the invitations that had come to her to meet the Daughters in their own homes.

Mrs. Boyle then read her report as follows:

Report of Recording Secretary General.

Madam President General and Members of the Board:

Since the February Board meeting there has been the special meeting held in March for the admission of members, authorization of chapters, and the appointment of a State regent, for which the customary notices were sent to all members of the Board, and notices of this meeting and that of the Memorial Continental Hall Committee were also sent within the required time of two weeks.

Notification cards to the 883 new members admitted at the February Board meeting and the 403 admitted at the March meeting were sent out within the prescribed time.

The minutes of the February Board meeting were transcribed for the Magazine and proof read of all official pages. Copies of the motions passed by the Board were made and furnished to all offices.

All documents requiring her signature have been signed by the Recording Secretary General. 2,391 certificates of membership have been issued since the last report was made.

An invitation was received from Mrs. John Van Ransselaer Hoff to the Chapter Day at Home of the Army and Navy Chapter.

There was also received in this office year-books from the Germantown Chapter, Pennsylvania; and from the Silver Bow Chapter, Montana; the annual report of the Chairman of the Committee on Children and Sons of the Republic; Report of the 15th Annual State Conference of Missouri Daughters; circular from the Liquidation and Endowment Fund Committee of the Chicago Chapter, reminding other members of the National Society of this work; report of the Chairman on Patriotic Education, including also the reports of the sub-chairmen in charge of the various special lines of work under this committee.

On March 27th was received the announcement from the Daughters of the American Revo-

lution of the State of Kansas presenting Mrs. George Thacher Guernsey as a candidate for the office of President General of the National Society, carrying with it the endorsement of the following: Mrs. Ellen Hardin Walworth, Founder, New York; Mrs. Donald McLean, Honorary President General, New York; Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, Honorary President General, Illinois; Mrs. Helen M. Boynton, Honorary Vice-President General, District of Columbia; Mrs. Theodore C. Bates, Honorary Vice-President General, Massachusetts; Mrs. E. Gaylord Putnam, Honorary Vice-President General, New Jersey; Mrs. Drayton W. Bushnell, Honorary Vice-President General, Iowa; Mrs. Allen Putnam Perley, Vice-President General, Pennsylvania; Miss Harriet I. Lake, Vice-President General, Iowa; Mrs. Henry L. Mann, Organizing Secretary General; Mrs. Gaius M. Brumbaugh, Registrar General; Mrs. Charles W. Bassett, Historian General; Miss Nellie V. Baker, regent, Cherokee Chapter, Alabama; Mrs. Mason Posey, Francis Marion Chapter, Alabama; Mrs. Harry L. Chandler, State regent, Arizona; Mrs. Walter Talbot, State treasurer, Arizona; Mrs. Helen Guernsey Shaw, regent Maricopa Chapter, Arizona; Mrs. Samuel W. Wassell, State regent, Arkansas; Miss Stella Pickett Hardy, State vice-regent, Arkansas; Mrs. Thaddeus M. Jones, Esperanza Chapter, California; Mrs. Freeman C. Rogers, ex-State regent, Colorado; Mrs. Belle R. Reid, vice-regent, Arkansas Valley Chapter, Colorado; Mrs. Noyes D. Baldwin, regent, Sarah Riggs Humphrey Chapter, Connecticut; Mrs. John G. Sharp, vice-regent, John Pettigrew Chapter, Delaware; Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey, ex-Vice-President General, District of Columbia; Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, ex-State regent, District of Columbia; Mrs. G. Wallace W. Hanger, ex-State vice-regent, District of Columbia; Mrs. James A. Craig, regent, Katherine Livingston Chapter, Florida; Mrs. Thaddeus C. Parker, State regent, Georgia; Mrs. S. B. C. Morgan, ex-Vice-President General, Georgia; Mrs. William Lawson Peel, ex-Vice-President General, Georgia; Mrs. Charles W. Pursell, State regent, Idaho; Mrs. H. W. Stone, State vice-regent, Idaho; Miss Cynthia Mann, State secretary, Idaho; Mrs. George T. Page, State regent, Illinois; Mrs. S. J. Smith, regent, Kaskaskia Chapter, Illinois; Mrs. John C. Ames, ex-Vice-President General, Illinois; Mrs. George A. Lawrence, ex-State regent, Illinois; Mrs. John A. Logan, Illinois; Mrs. Frances Habery-Robertson, State regent, Indiana; Mrs. James M. Fowler, ex-Vice-President General, Indiana; Mrs. Robert J. Johnston, State regent, Iowa; Mrs. William R. Van Tuyl, State vice-regent, Kansas; Mrs. Roy Bittman, State corresponding secretary, Kansas; Mrs. William E. Stanley, ex-Vice-President General, Kansas; Mrs. Sallie Marshall Hardy, ex-Vice-President General, Kentucky;

Mrs. C. D. Chenault, ex-State regent, Kentucky; Mrs. Peter Youree, ex-State regent, Louisiana; Mrs. A. A. Kendall, ex-Vice-President General, Maine; Mrs. Charles F. Johnson, ex-Vice-President General, Maine; Mrs. Wilford G. Chapman, ex-regent, Elizabeth Wardsworth Chapter, Maine; Mrs. Robert G. Hogan, State regent, Maryland; Mrs. Francis H. Markell, ex-State vice-regent, Maryland; Mrs. Ralph M. Kirtland, regent, Minute Men Chapter, Massachusetts; Miss Floretta Vining, regent, John Adams Chapter, Massachusetts; Mrs. Truman H. Newberry, ex-Vice-President General, Michigan; Mrs. Richard H. Fyfe, ex-State vice-regent, Michigan; Mrs. Charles H. Metcalf, ex-regent, Louisa St. Clair Chapter, Michigan; Mrs. Alfred A. Pocock, St. Paul Chapter, Minnesota; Mrs. Egbert Jones, ex-Vice-President General, Mississippi; Mrs. Milton Welsh, Kansas City Chapter, Missouri; Mrs. Warren Perry, State regent, Nebraska; Mrs. Andrew K. Bault, ex-Vice-President General, Nebraska; Mrs. Charles B. Letton, ex-State regent, Nebraska; Miss Frances M. Wheeler, Rumford Chapter, New Hampshire; Mrs. William Libbey, ex-Vice-President General, New Jersey; Mrs. Charles B. Yardley, ex-State regent, New Jersey; Mrs. Henry S. Bowron, regent, Capt. Robert Nichols Chapter, New York; Miss Ellen L. Dunn, regent, Fort Plain Chapter, New York; Mrs. Charles H. Terry, ex-Vice-President General, New York; Mrs. William N. Reynolds, State regent, North Carolina; Mrs. Lindsay Patterson, ex-Vice-President General, North Carolina; Mrs. Edwin C. Gregory, ex-Vice-President General, North Carolina; Mrs. Frederick Burkhardt, regent, Cincinnati Chapter, Ohio; Mrs. John F. Beaumont, State regent, Oregon; Miss Bertha Green, Willamette Chapter, Oregon; Miss Helen E. C. Overton, ex-State regent, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Thomas Potter, Jr., regent, Philadelphia Chapter, Pennsylvania; Mrs. Albert Calder, 2d, Gaspee Chapter, Rhode Island; Mrs. Robert M. Bratton, ex-Vice-President General, South Carolina; Mrs. Robert J. Gamble, ex-State regent, South Dakota; Mrs. H. S. Chamberlain, ex-Vice-President General, Tennessee, regent, Chickamauga Chapter; Miss Cora Henry Ashe, vice-regent, Commodore Perry Chapter, Tenn.; Mrs. Thomas J. Latham, ex-regent, Hermitage Chapter, Tennessee; Mrs. Andrew Rose, State regent, Texas; Miss Anne E. Yocum, vice-regent, Lady Washington Chapter, Texas; Mrs. Benjamin Purcell, regent, Commonwealth Chapter, Virginia; Mrs. Horton Phelps, ex-regent, Lady Stirling Chapter, Washington; Mrs. R. H. Edmondson, ex-Vice-President General, West Virginia; Mrs. George DeBolt, ex-State regent, West Virginia; Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, West Virginia; Mrs. John P. Hume, State vice-regent, Wisconsin; Mrs. Ogden Hoffman Fethers, ex-State regent, Wisconsin; Miss Elizabeth F.

Pierce, ex-Chaplain General; Mrs. Lyman B. Swormstedt, ex-Treasurer General; Mrs. John Paul Earnest, ex-Corresponding Secretary General; Mrs. William D. Hoover, ex-Treasurer General; Mrs. William F. Dennis, ex-Corresponding Secretary General; Miss Amaryllis Gillett, ex-Librarian General.

Received from Colorado a card endorsing Mrs. Charles Spalding Thomas for the office of Vice-President General; from the Maine State Council, endorsing Mrs. William Cleaver Robinson for the office of Vice-President General; from Georgia presenting the name of Mrs. Sheppard W. Foster as a candidate for the office of Vice-President General; from Delaware, presenting the name of Mrs. Edmund P. Moody as a candidate for Vice-President General; Indiana presents the name of Mrs. John Lee Dinwiddie for re-election as Vice-President General; from Connecticut, presenting the name of Miss Natalie Sumner Lincoln as a candidate for office of Editor; and from Pennsylvania, endorsing Miss Eliza Olver Denniston for re-election to office of Editor.

During the last two months my office has been very busy sending out notices of appointments to Congressional Committees, arranging the list for each Chairman, and noting and filing the acceptances and regrets. A copy of all these lists was furnished the Chairman of Program Committee, and final proof read; a copy of the lists of committees was also furnished the Chairman of Badges.

Condolence cards have been sent to families of deceased members and to regents of chapters in all cases where the information has been furnished me.

The minutes of the Executive Committee meetings have also been transcribed.

March 1st I received a telegram from the State regent of Arizona announcing the election of a State vice-regent and asking for her confirmation at the March meeting. As this meeting was a special meeting called for the admission of members, authorization of chapters, and appointment of State regent, no other business could be transacted, and the State regent was so informed.

All those who have learned of our recent bereavement in the death of Mrs. Miranda B. Tulloch, March 30th, have been greatly saddened by it.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. Wm. C.) **ABBIE WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,**
Recording Secretary General.

Moved by Mrs. Tarbell, duly seconded, and carried, that the report be accepted.

The report of the Corresponding Secretary General was read by Mrs. Burrows:

Report of Corresponding Secretary General.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

During the months of February and March, 1,122 letters have been received and recorded, 991 have been written, 1,531 copies of the Proposed Amendment to the By-Laws mailed, and orders of printed matter sent out, consisting of:

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| Application blanks..... | 12,059 |
| Leaflet, "How to Become a Member".... | 986 |
| Constitutions | 2,965 |
| Miniature blanks | 974 |
| Transfer Cards | 909 |

The mail for the building has been distributed, letters forwarded to correct address and the clerical work of the Finance Committee attended to in this office.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES P. BURROWS,
Corresponding Secretary General.

On motion, duly seconded, this report was accepted.

Mrs. Mann presented the report of the Organizing Secretary General as follows:

Report of Organizing Secretary General.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

According to the ruling of the 21st Continental Congress, I present no chapter regents for confirmation, nor chapters to be authorized.

I have had, however, the report of the election of the State vice-regent of Arizona, and therefore present the name of Mrs. Elizabeth Shields Bayless for confirmation.

The chapters organized since February Board meeting are as follows:

John J. Waldo, of West Virginia.
Mary McClure, of South Carolina.
Needham Bryan, of Alabama.
Abigail Hartman Rice, of Dist. of Columbia.
Tennent, of New Jersey.
Tucson, of Arizona.
Dorothy Hancock, of Dist. of Columbia.
Walla Walla, of Washington.
Philip Perry, of Florida.
Rev. Reuben Pickett, of Nebraska.
Margaret Gregg Gordon, of South Carolina.
Nancy Ward, of Tennessee.
Col. James McCall, of Dist. of Columbia.
Noble Everett, of Massachusetts.
Caddo, of Louisiana.

The card catalogue reports from Feb. 17th to date the following work:

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| Officers' lists written for..... | 105 |
| Officers' lists received..... | 75 |
| Number of new members' cards made and filed | 403 |
| Changes recorded | 2,184 |
| Marriages recorded | 406 |
| Deaths | 62 |
| Dropped | 48 |
| Resigned | 158 |
| Reinstated | 6 |
| Admitted membership, April 7, 1915.... | 111,569 |
| Actual membership, April 17, 1915..... | 86,474 |

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| Letters received | 347 | Supplemental applications verified..... | 282 |
| Letters written | 372 | Original papers returned unverified..... | 20 |
| Organizing regents' commissions issued.. | 24 | Supplemental papers returned unverified.. | 102 |
| Charters issued | 20 | Permits for Insignia issued..... | 443 |
| Regents' lists issued | 2 | Permits for Ancestral Bars issued..... | 282 |
| Regents' and ex-regents' bar permits.. | 17 | Permits for Recognition Pins issued.... | 353 |
| Vice-President General bar permit..... | 1 | Applications for Real Daughters presented | 0 |

As this is my last report to the National Board, and having given four years' service to the National Society as Vice-President General in Charge of Organization of Chapters, I wish to say, to the State regents, through whom most of the work is done, that it has been a pleasure to me to perform the duties of the office because of their unfailing kindness and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES INGRAHAM MANN,
Organizing Secretary General.

Moved by Mrs. Hogan, seconded by Mrs. Maupin, that a rising vote of thanks be given to Mrs. Mann for her splendid work and courtesy to all during her four years of service. This motion was endorsed by many of the State regents present and unanimously carried.

The report of the Registrar General was then read by Mrs. Brumbaugh:

Report of Registrar General.

Madam President General, Members of the Board of Management:

I have the honor to report the following:

Applications presented to the Board..... 1,186

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| Number of letters, including duplicate papers, issued | 3,644 |
| Number of cards issued | 2,139 |
| Original papers examined and not yet verified | 748 |
| Supplemental papers examined and not yet verified | 948 |
| New records verified | 340 |
| Original papers awaiting Notary's Seal.. | 20 |
| Supplemental papers awaiting Notary's Seal | 18 |
| Total number of papers verified..... | 1,468 |
| Number of application papers copied.... | 206 |
| At 25 cents | \$51.50 |

Respectfully submitted,

CATHERIN E. B. BRUMBAUGH,
Registrar General.

Moved by Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Mrs. Leary, and carried, that the names presented by the Registrar General be accepted and the Secretary be instructed to cast the ballot and declare them elected. The Recording Secretary General announced the casting of the ballot, and the President General declared the members elected.

Mrs. Ransdell presented her report as Treasurer General as follows:

Report of Treasurer General.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management: I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements from February 1st to March 31st, 1915:

CURRENT FUND.

Balance in Bank at last report, January 31st, 1915.....\$6,674.21

RECEIPTS.

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| Annual Dues \$55,558.00 less \$543.00 refunded..... | \$55,015.00 |
| Initiation Fees \$1,774.00 less \$44.00 refunded..... | 1,730.00 |
| Certificate | 3.00 |
| D. A. R. Report..... | 11.07 |
| Die of Insignia..... | 2.06 |
| Directory | 3.48 |
| Duplicate Papers and Lists..... | 55.68 |
| Early History | .24 |
| Exchange | .85 |
| Hand Books, Revised..... | 37.20 |
| Interest | 69.81 |
| Lineage | 128.09 |
| Magazine, through Chairman..... | 3,083.97 |
| Magazine, sale single copies..... | 14.33 |
| Proceedings, Twenty-first Congress..... | .74 |
| Proceedings, Twenty-second Congress..... | .50 |
| Proceedings, Twenty-third Congress..... | .75 |
| Ribbon | 11.67 |
| Stationery | 120.57 |
| Telephone | 5.61 |
| Sale "First Flag Pole" Gavels..... | 6.25 |
| Sale Waste Paper..... | 3.59 |
| Sale Brass, Copper and Iron..... | 179.64 |

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| Towel Holder | 2.00 | |
| Slot Machine—Drinking Cups..... | 2.19 | |
| Use of Slides for Lectures..... | 20.00 | |
| Auditorium Events: | | |
| Berea College | \$100.00 | |
| Missionary Mass Meeting..... | 100.00 | 200.00 |

Total Receipts..... \$60,708.29

\$67,382.50

EXPENDITURES.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT GENERAL.

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| Clerical Service | \$180.00 | |
| Postage | 55.38 | |
| Telegrams and telephones..... | 21.95 | |
| Rent of typewriter..... | 3.50 | \$260.83 |

OFFICE OF ORGANIZING SECRETARY GENERAL

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| Clerical Service..... | 390.00 | |
| Postage | 5.00 | |
| Sharpening erasers | .30 | |
| Engrossing charters and Chapter Regents' Commissions.. | 5.00 | |
| Repairing typewriter | 1.40 | 401.70 |

OFFICE OF RECORDING SECRETARY GENERAL.

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| Clerical Service | 249.17 | |
| Extra clerical service..... | 37.50 | |
| Postage | 3.00 | |
| Telegrams | 2.95 | |
| Repairing typewriter | 6.58 | 299.20 |

CERTIFICATE.

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| Clerical service | 150.00 | |
| Postage and expressage..... | 154.36 | |
| Engraving 3,000 certificates..... | 225.00 | |
| Engrossing 1,996 certificates..... | 199.60 | 728.96 |

OFFICE OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY GENERAL.

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| Clerical service | 150.00 | |
| Postage | 40.00 | |
| Postals to be printed..... | 5.00 | |
| 2 blank books..... | 5.60 | |
| Bonding clerk | 1.25 | |
| Sharpening eraser | .10 | 201.95 |

OFFICE OF REGISTRAR GENERAL.

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| Clerical service | 1,085.00 | |
| Extra clerical service..... | 97.45 | |
| Postals to be printed..... | 40.00 | |
| Bonding two clerks..... | 2.50 | |
| 34 sheets cut Board..... | 1.75 | 1,226.70 |

OFFICE OF TREASURER GENERAL.

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| Clerical service | 1,095.00 | |
| Extra clerical service..... | 219.93 | |
| 10,250 Report blanks..... | 41.50 | |
| 6 Receipt books..... | 20.50 | |
| 500 Petty Cash vouchers..... | 3.00 | |
| Telegrams | 1.74 | |
| Bonding Treasurer General, Bookkeeper and Assistant.. | 55.00 | |
| Sharpening erasers | .60 | 1,437.27 |

OFFICE OF HISTORIAN GENERAL.

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| Salary of Editor, Lineage Book..... | 200.00 | |
| Clerical service | 283.33 | |
| Telegram | .26 | |
| Book and lettering..... | 1.75 | |
| Manila folders | .75 | 486.09 |

DIRECTOR GENERAL,

IN CHARGE OF REPORT TO SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.

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| Clerical service | 38.90 | |
| Telegrams | 1.02 | |
| Cab service and messenger..... | 2.50 | |
| 150 blanks | 2.00 | 44.42 |

OFFICE OF LIBRARIAN GENERAL.

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| Clerical service | 170.00 | |
| Index tray, labels and almanac..... | .80 | |
| Expressage and drayage..... | 3.44 | |

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| Binding 19 volumes | 22.50 | |
| Barber's Historical Collection of New Jersey..... | 1.00 | |
| Connecticut Men of the Revolution..... | 15.30 | |
| Early History of Sussex County, New Jersey..... | 3.15 | |
| History of Hudson County, New Jersey..... | 5.40 | |
| Memorial of the Slaffer Family..... | 2.00 | |
| Morrison's History, Windham, New Hampshire..... | 7.20 | |
| Shourd's History of Fenwick's Colony..... | 4.50 | |
| Subscription South Carolina Historical Society..... | 4.00 | |
| 3 volumes North Carolina Colonial and State Records.... | 9.00 | |
| Clerical service, Genealogical Department..... | 150.00 | 398.29 |

GENERAL OFFICE.

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| Clerical service | 150.00 | |
| Messenger Boy's salary..... | 53.00 | |
| Extra messenger service..... | 3.00 | |
| Car fare messenger..... | 5.00 | |
| Postage | 1.00 | |
| Overdue postage | 5.00 | |
| 20,750 stamped envelopes..... | 468.90 | |
| Supplies | 123.05 | |
| 5 dies of Insignia..... | 2.10 | |
| Telegrams | 3.88 | |
| Repairing typewriter | 1.50 | |
| Sharpening erasers | .20 | |
| Bonding clerk | 1.25 | |
| Bond appeal J. W. Lewis vs. N. S. D. A. R..... | 5.00 | |
| Drayage and expressage..... | 1.59 | |
| Repairing bicycle | 5.35 | |
| Bicycle cape for messenger..... | 3.50 | |
| Postage 22nd February meeting | 2.44 | |
| 2 wreaths, Mt. Vernon..... | 10.00 | |
| Professional service, in re State Vice-Regent, Arizona... | 250.00 | |
| Professional service, in re Onondaga Chapter..... | 100.00 | |
| Committees: | | |
| Building & Grounds and other Committees, | | |
| Clerical service | 148.39 | |
| Extra clerical service..... | .75 | |
| Conservation, postage and circulars..... | 8.50 | |
| Finance, postals | .10 | |
| International Peace Arbitration, multigraphing letters | 4.20 | |
| Patriotic Education, advance..... | 50.00 | |
| Bureau Lectures and Slides, expressage..... | .73 | |
| Patriots' Memorial School, stamped envelopes..... | .50 | |
| Philippine Scholarship, postage and permit book..... | 13.75 | |
| Printing, postage | 2.00 | |
| Publication, professional service..... | 100.00 | |
| postage and typewriting..... | 6.75 | |
| Silver Shower, duplicating and folding 3,200 letters and | | |
| postage | 6.55 | |
| Statistics, postage | 5.00 | 1,542.98 |

EXPENSE CONTINENTAL HALL.

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|---|--------|
| Superintendent | 200.00 |
| Watchman | 150.00 |
| Guide | 100.00 |
| Mechanic | 22.00 |
| Telephone Operator | 40.00 |
| Cleaners | 360.00 |
| Coal | 304.36 |
| Electric current | 98.71 |
| Water Rent | 6.60 |
| Towel service and paper towels..... | 23.53 |
| Ice | 5.71 |
| Soap | 8.69 |
| Dusters, brooms and brushes..... | 11.93 |
| 3 chamois | 2.40 |
| Alcohol and sand paper..... | .35 |
| Paints | 16.65 |
| Inspection of elevator and repairs..... | 7.75 |
| Carbons for radiators..... | 1.50 |
| Electric supplies | 7.66 |
| Hardware, pipe and bumpers..... | 10.28 |

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| Plastering and painting | 35.00 | |
| Canton flannel | 7.59 | |
| Hauling ashes and trash | 26.00 | |
| Bonding Superintendent | 2.50 | |
| Turning 17 "First Flag Pole" Gavels | 4.25 | |
| Repairing clock, Indiana Room | 4.00 | 1,457.46 |

PRINTING MACHINE AND MAINTENANCE.

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|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Printer | 27.00 | |
| Ink and paper, General Office | 4.95 | 31.95 |

MAGAZINE.

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|---|--------|----------|
| Printing and mailing February number | 625.63 | |
| Cash for Post Office February number | 30.25 | |
| Cuts, February number | 19.85 | |
| Printing and mailing March number | 854.44 | |
| Cash for Post Office, March number | 35.65 | |
| Cuts, March number | 18.59 | |
| Clerical service, Chairman | 167.50 | |
| Postage, Chairman | 42.79 | |
| Envelopes, Chairman | 1.15 | |
| Postage, Secretary | 10.00 | |
| Salary, Editor | 200.00 | |
| Postage, Editor | 7.50 | |
| Telegrams, Editor | 2.76 | |
| 1,000 cards, Editor | 1.50 | |
| Expense "Notes and Queries" | 60.00 | |
| Repairing typewriter, Genealogical Editor | .60 | |
| Expressage | .95 | 2,079.16 |

SUPPORT REAL DAUGHTERS.

| | | |
|---|--------|--------|
| Support 44 Real Daughters, February | 352.00 | |
| Support 44 Real Daughters, March | 352.00 | |
| Support 1 Real Daughter, March—December | 80.00 | 784.00 |

STATE REGENTS' POSTAGE.

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| State Regent, Arkansas | 5.00 | |
| State Regent, Maine | 15.00 | |
| State Regent, Missouri | 5.00 | |
| State Regent, Nebraska | 6.98 | |
| State Regent, New Hampshire | 6.00 | |
| State Regent, South Dakota | 5.00 | |
| State Regent, Virginia | 3.00 | 45.98 |

STATIONERY, NATIONAL OFFICERS.

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|-------------------------|-------|-------|
| Treasurer General | 21.50 | |
| Librarian General | 3.00 | 24.50 |

STATIONERY, STATE REGENTS.

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| State Regent, Arizona | 2.00 | |
| State Regent, Kentucky | 3.50 | |
| State Regent, Minnesota | 2.40 | |
| State Regent, Missouri | 19.60 | |
| State Regent, Nebraska | 7.20 | |
| State Regent, New Hampshire | 2.00 | |
| State Regent, South Carolina | 5.90 | |
| State Regent, Tennessee | 2.70 | 45.30 |

TELEPHONE.

| | | |
|------------------------|-------|-------|
| Service and toll | 60.98 | 60.98 |
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D. A. R. REPORT.

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| Expressage | .74 | .74 |
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DIRECTORY.

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| Expressage | .38 | .38 |
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HAND BOOKS, REVISED.

| | | |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|
| Postals and printing | 18.20 | 18.20 |
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LINEAGE.

| | | |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|
| 1,000 copies volume 39 | 558.00 | |
| Postage and expressage | 12.48 | |
| Freight and drayage | 6.51 | |
| 6 volumes Lineage | 5.00 | 581.99 |

FURNITURE AND FIXTURES.

| | | |
|--|-------|--------|
| 3 towel holders..... | 6.00 | |
| Holder for used paper cups..... | 3.60 | |
| Mahogany scrap basket..... | 6.30 | |
| Typewriter for Certificate Department..... | 35.00 | |
| Mahogany filing case, Magazine Department..... | 81.39 | 132.29 |

AUDITORS' SPECIAL REPORT.

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| On account of business methods in the various departments | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
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AUDITORIUM EVENTS.

| | | |
|--|-------|--------|
| American Bar Association, electric current and refinishing table | 27.00 | |
| American College of Surgeons, electric current and heating | 16.72 | |
| Berea College, refund..... | 15.12 | |
| electric current, ice, labor, heating, tickets and stereopticon outfit | 62.38 | |
| Buckeye Corn Special, 1914, electric current, heating and ice | 20.22 | |
| Missionary Mass Meeting, refund..... | 30.67 | |
| electric current, heating, ice and labor..... | 46.83 | |
| Motet Choral Society, electric current, heating and ice... | 13.16 | 232.10 |

TWENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

| | | |
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| Committees: | | |
| Credential, clerical service..... | 239.10 | |
| postage and stamped envelopes..... | 32.44 | |
| 12 reams paper..... | 12.00 | |
| House, postage and wrap checks..... | 1.50 | |
| Program, postage | 4.00 | |
| Transportation, postage and stamped envelopes..... | 18.15 | |
| Paper and telegrams..... | 3.68 | 310.87 |
| Interest transferred: | | |
| Emily Nelson Ritchie McLean Historical Fund..... | 29.08 | |
| Franco-American Fund | 4.21 | |
| Philippine Scholarship Fund..... | 14.22 | |
| Patriots' Memorial D. A. R. School Fund..... | 11.30 | 58.81 |
| Total Disbursements | | \$13,893.10 |

Balance, Current Fund, March 31, 1915.....

\$53,489.40

EMILY NELSON RITCHIE McLEAN

HISTORICAL FUND.

| | | |
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| As at last report, January 31, 1915..... | 1,454.01 | |
| Interest | 29.08 | 1,483.09 |

FRANCO-AMERICAN FUND.

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| As at last report, January 31, 1915..... | 210.68 | |
| Interest | 4.21 | 214.89 |

PHILIPPINE SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

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| As at last report, January 31st, 1915..... | 857.58 | |
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RECEIPTS.

| | | |
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| Mrs. Alma C. Pinson, Ark..... | .25 | |
| Mrs. Lucy P. Brown, Cal..... | 3.00 | |
| Miss Marguerite Goodsell, Green Woods Chapter, Conn... | 1.00 | |
| Miss Harriet B. Clark, Conn..... | 1.00 | |
| Miss Mary G. Perley, Conn..... | 1.00 | |
| Mrs. Leonard O. Smith, Conn..... | 1.00 | |
| Mrs. Nellie D. Turner, Conn..... | 2.00 | |
| Patriots' Memorial Chapter, D. C..... | 5.00 | |
| Richard Arnold Chapter, Miss Clara Donaldson Fund, D. C. | 2.00 | |
| Council Bluffs Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 | |
| Mary Brewster Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 | |
| Elizabeth Wadsworth Chapter, Me..... | 5.00 | |
| Quequechan Chapter, Mass..... | 20.00 | |
| Mrs. Abby L. R. Fyfe, Miss Clara Donaldson Fund, Mich. | 5.00 | |
| Mrs. William Braunersreuther, N. Y..... | 1.00 | |
| Miss Edith E. Gardner, N.Y..... | 1.00 | |

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| Miss Stella T. Hatch, Moses Cleaveland Chapter, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Laura A. Bacon, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Harriet W. Belt, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. E. W. Burbank, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Harriet W. Eaton, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Emma D. Gilfillan, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Bertha C. Hardman, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Rowena B. Hickox, Ohio..... | 10.00 |
| Miss Alice M. Hill, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Sakie E. P. Merz, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Mary W. N. Pratt, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. A. B. Taylor, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Mabel P. Taylor, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Amelia M. Warner, Ohio..... | 1.00 |
| Pittsburgh Chapter, Pa..... | 50.00 |
| Mrs. Ella M. T. Adams, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Rosalie V. Bayne, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Miss S. Belle Blakeslee, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Emma J. Blackwood, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Anna M. Bloomfield, Pa..... | .25 |
| Mrs. Anna M. Clark, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Lyde O. C. Duffield, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Henry Fox, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Heiner, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Emily S. Hubbell, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Candace L. Johnson, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Jennie D. Kline, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Cyrenus A. Larrabee, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. William H. Leard, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. H. T. McDowell, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Mark J. Mauser, Pa..... | 2.00 |
| Mrs. M. E. Morss, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Minnie E. Morss, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Elisabeth M. Paull, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Bessie K. Phillips, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Ellie R. Ray, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Emily B. Rhodes, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Viola W. Scott, Pa..... | 10.00 |
| Mrs. W. G. Simpson, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Miss Susanna B. Stillwell, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Elizabeth M. Stone, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. J. B. Thompson, Pa..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Sibyl F. Wright, Pa..... | 2.00 |
| Miss Clara Donaldson, Philippines Chapter and Philippine Scholarship Committee, in memory of her sister, Mrs. Grace D. Matthews, Miss Clara Donaldson Fund, P. I. | 10.00 |
| Through Mrs. J. E. McWilliams, Chairman, Miss Clara Donaldson Fund, P. I..... | 9.00 |
| Interest | 14.22 |

\$207.72

\$1,065.30

PATRIOTS' MEMORIAL D. A. R. SCHOOL FUND.

As at last report, January 31st, 1915..... \$580.00

RECEIPTS.

| | | | |
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| Baltimore Chapter, Md..... | \$10.00 | | |
| Old Belfry Chapter, Mass..... | 5.00 | | |
| Old Colony Chapter, Mass..... | 5.00 | | |
| Ot-si-ke-ta Chapter, Mich..... | 5.00 | | |
| Mrs. Grace K. Jenks, regent, Ot-si-ke-ta Chapter, Mich.. | 1.00 | | |
| Quivera Chapter, Neb..... | 5.00 | | |
| Manhattan Chapter, N. Y..... | 25.00 | | |
| Interest | 11.30 | 67.30 | 647.30 |

On deposit in National Metropolitan Bank, March 31, 1915..... \$56,899.98

Petty Cash Fund \$500.00 \$500.00

PATRIOTIC EDUCATION FUND.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|--|---------|
| Eunice Dennie Burr Chapter, Conn..... | \$50.00 |
| Katherine Gaylord Chapter, Conn..... | 40.00 |
| Mary Silliman Chapter, Conn..... | 50.00 |
| Ruth Hart Chapter, Conn..... | 25.00 |
| Ruth Wyllys Chapter, Conn..... | 50.00 |
| Sarah Riggs Humphreys Chapter, Conn..... | 50.00 |
| Wadsworth Chapter, Conn..... | 50.00 |
| John Hall Chapter, D. C..... | 30.00 |
| Luey Holcombe Chapter, D. C..... | 10.00 |
| Major William Overton Callis Chapter, D. C..... | 10.00 |
| Mary Bartlett Chapter, D. C..... | 1.00 |
| Susan Reviere Hetzel Chapter, D. C..... | 10.00 |
| Wendell Wolfe Chapter, D. C..... | 15.00 |
| George Walton Chapter, Ga..... | 8.00 |
| Geneseo Chapter, Ill..... | 50.00 |
| Rebecca Park Chapter, Ill..... | 50.00 |
| Rev. James Caldwell Chapter, Ill..... | 20.00 |
| Rochelle Chapter, Ill..... | 10.00 |
| John Paul Chapter, Ind..... | 10.00 |
| Abigail Adams Chapter, Ia..... | 50.00 |
| Ashley Chapter, Ia..... | 50.00 |
| Beacon Hill Chapter, Ia..... | 15.00 |
| Betty Zane Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Council Bluffs Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Daniel Boone Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| De Shon Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Francis Shaw Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Joha Stanton Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Log Cabin Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Lucy Fellows Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Marshalltown Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Martha Washington Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Mary Brewster Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Okamanpadu Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Onawa Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Pilgrim Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Priscilla Alden Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Revolutionary Dames Chapter, Ia..... | 8.00 |
| Stars and Stripes Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Washington Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Waucoma Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Colonel Thomas Gardner Chapter, Mass..... | 10.00 |
| Sarah Bradlee Fulton Chapter, Mass..... | 5.00 |
| Greysolon du Lhut Chapter, Minn..... | 25.00 |
| Abigail Webster Chapter, N. H..... | 6.00 |
| Elsa Cilley Chapter, N. H..... | 50.00 |
| Colonel Thomas Reynolds Chapter, N. J..... | 5.00 |
| Tennent Chapter, N. J..... | 5.00 |
| Blooming Grove Chapter, N. Y..... | 35.00 |
| Ohio Conference, Ohio..... | 41.00 |
| Fort McArthur Chapter, Ohio..... | 10.00 |
| Lima Chapter, Ohio..... | 10.00 |
| New Connecticut Chapter, Ohio..... | 5.00 |
| Bellefonte Chapter, Pa..... | 50.00 |
| Delaware County Chapter, Pa..... | 50.00 |
| Fort Antes Chapter, Pa..... | 50.00 |
| Robert Morris Chapter, Pa..... | 60.00 |
| Tioga Point Chapter, Pa..... | 50.00 |
| Tunkhannock Chapter, Pa..... | 25.00 |
| Esther McCrory Chapter, Tex..... | 10.00 |
| Mary Isham Keith Chapter, Tex..... | 10.00 |
| Frances Bland Randolph Chapter, Va..... | 10.00 |
| Great Bridge Chapter, Va..... | 10.00 |
| Hampton Chapter, Va..... | 10.00 |
| Mrs. S. W. Jamison, Margaret Lynn Lewis Chapter, Va..... | 10.00 |

 \$1,344.00

DISBURSEMENTS.

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| Albemarle Industrial School, N. C..... | \$50.00 |
| American International College, Mass..... | 1.00 |
| Berea College, Ky..... | 40.00 |
| Berry School, Ga..... | 657.00 |
| Columbian Women, George Washington University, D. C..... | 35.00 |
| Day Nursery, D. C..... | 15.00 |
| Dorothy Sharpe School, N. C..... | 25.00 |
| Friendship House, D. C..... | 5.00 |
| Grandview Normal Institute, Tenn..... | 41.00 |
| Helen Dunlap School, Ark..... | 20.00 |
| McKee Academy, Ky..... | 10.00 |
| Maryville College, Tenn..... | 335.00 |
| Mountain Missions, Va..... | 40.00 |
| W. C. T. U. Settlement School, Hindman, Ky..... | 40.00 |
| Southern Industrial Educational Association..... | 30.00 |

 \$1,344.00

RED CROSS FUND.

RECEIPTS.

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| Shavano Chapter, Colo..... | \$5.20 |
| Anne Brewster Fanning Chapter, Conn..... | 7.50 |
| Eunice Dennie Burr Chapter, Conn..... | 10.00 |
| Hannah Woodruff Chapter, Conn..... | 130.50 |
| Nathan Hale Memorial Chapter, Conn..... | 50.00 |
| John Hall Chapter, D. C..... | 14.00 |
| Marcia Burns Chapter, D. C..... | 10.00 |
| Richard Arnold Chapter, D. C..... | .50 |
| Jacksonville Chapter, Fla..... | 5.00 |
| Maria Jefferson Chapter, Fla..... | 31.85 |
| Alliance Chapter, Ill..... | 3.85 |
| Shadrach Bond Chapter, Ill..... | 8.00 |
| Ashley Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Beacon Hill Chapter, Belgians, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Lucy Fellows Chapter, Belgians, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| Elizabeth Kenton Chapter, Ky..... | 87.25 |
| Mrs. W. W. Wallis, State regent, La..... | 109.38 |
| Woman's Club of Kingsley House, through Mrs. Wallis, State regent, La..... | 18.82 |
| Pelican Chapter, La..... | 7.50 |
| Shreveport 1776-1908 Chapter, La..... | 7.40 |
| Lady Knox Chapter, Me..... | 10.75 |
| Old Belfry Chapter, Mass..... | 10.00 |
| Old State House Chapter, Mass..... | 5.00 |
| Lewis Cass Chapter, Mich..... | 2.00 |
| Lucinda Hinsdale Stone Chapter, Mich..... | 10.00 |
| Charter Oak Chapter, Minn..... | 10.00 |
| Charleston Chapter, Mo..... | 4.00 |
| Clark County Chapter, Mo..... | 6.40 |
| Hannah Jack Chapter, Mo..... | 5.00 |
| Noah Coleman Chapter—Belgian Babies' Relief, Mo..... | 8.50 |
| Sarah Barton Murphy Chapter, Mo..... | 1.50 |
| Elizabeth Montague Chapter, Neb..... | 18.00 |
| Nebraska Chapters—Flour for Belgians, Neb..... | 25.00 |
| Abigail Webster Chapter, N. H..... | 10.00 |
| Buntin Chapter, N. H..... | 13.00 |
| Elsa Cilley Chapter, N. H..... | 10.00 |
| Exeter Chapter, N. H..... | 5.00 |
| Margery Sullivan Chapter, N. H..... | 34.50 |
| Mary Torr Chapter, N. H..... | 27.60 |
| Matthew Thornton Chapter, N. H..... | 25.00 |
| Molly Stark Chapter, N. H..... | 50.00 |
| Reprisal Chapter, N. H..... | 16.00 |
| Samuel Ashley Chapter, N. H..... | 16.60 |
| Samuel Ashley Chapter, Belgians, N. H..... | 14.25 |
| Cayuga Chapter, N. Y..... | 20.00 |
| General William Floyd Chapter, N. Y..... | 60.00 |
| Jamestown Chapter, N. Y..... | 100.12 |
| Monroe Chapter, N. Y..... | 28.89 |
| Richmond County Chapter, N. Y..... | 5.00 |

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| Sagoyewatha Chapter, N. Y..... | 26.55 | |
| Women of '76 Chapter, N. Y..... | 1.65 | |
| Guilford Battle Chapter, Belgians, N. C..... | 2.00 | |
| Nathaniel Massie Chapter, Ohio..... | 10.00 | |
| Brookville Chapter, Pa..... | 30.00 | |
| Canadohta Chapter, Pa..... | 10.00 | |
| Independence Hall Chapter, Pa..... | 10.00 | |
| Lawrence Chapter, Pa..... | 20.00 | |
| Robert Morris Chapter, Pa..... | 3.50 | |
| Witness Tree Chapter, Pa..... | 10.00 | |
| Philippines Chapter, P. I..... | 470.00 | |
| Thirty-ninth Star Chapter, S. D..... | 13.00 | |
| Col. Hardy Murfree Chapter, Tenn..... | 25.00 | |
| George Washington Chapter, Tex..... | 5.00 | |
| Pocahontas Chapter, Tex..... | 10.00 | |
| Spirit of Liberty Chapter, Utah..... | 2.00 | |
| Fairfax County Chapter, Va..... | 1.00 | |
| Fort Nelson Chapter, Belgians, Va..... | 2.50 | |
| Northampton County Chapter, Va..... | 15.00 | |
| John Kendrick Chapter, Belgians, Wash..... | 44.75 | |
| Virginia Dare Chapter, Wash..... | 10.00 | |
| Elizabeth Zane Chapter, Belgians, W. Va..... | 10.00 | |
| Elizabeth Zane Chapter, W. Va..... | 15.00 | |
| Cheyenne Chapter, Wyo..... | 10.00 | |
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| | | \$1,830.81 |

DISBURSEMENTS.

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| American Red Cross | \$1,830.81 |
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BELGIAN RELIEF.

RECEIPTS.

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| Mrs. Margaret M. Berry, regent, Major William Overton Callis Chapter, D. C. | \$539.60 | |
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DISBURSEMENTS.

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| Through Madame E. Havenith, Belgian Legation | \$539.60 | |
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| | | \$539.60 |

PERMANENT FUND.

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| Balance in bank at last report, January 31, 1915..... | \$4,944.75 |
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RECEIPTS.

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| Charter Fees | \$85.00 |
| Life Membership Fees | 350.00 |
| Continental Hall Contributions: | |
| James Bate Chapter, Ark..... | \$5.00 |
| Connecticut Chapters, acct. bond, Conn..... | 2,897.00 |
| Susan Carrington Clarke Chapter, acct. bond, Conn..... | 3.00 |
| Delaware Daughters, Del..... | 114.15 |
| Continental Chapter, D. C..... | 35.00 |
| Gen. Stephen Moylan Chapter, D. C..... | 5.00 |
| Katherine Montgomery Chapter, D. C..... | 21.00 |
| Marcia Burns Chapter, D. C..... | 20.00 |
| Margaret Whetten Chapter, D. C..... | 25.00 |
| Martha Washington Chapter, D. C..... | 25.00 |
| Mary Bartlett Chapter, acct. enrollment of Miss Ella A. Bartlett on Remembrance Book, D. C..... | 25.00 |
| Mary Washington Chapter, D. C..... | 100.00 |
| Patriots' Memorial Chapter, D. C..... | 100.00 |
| Sarah Franklin Chapter, D. C..... | 50.00 |
| Sergeant Newton Chapter, Certificates, Ga..... | 6.00 |
| Mildred Warner Washington Chapter, Ill..... | 15.00 |
| Springfield Chapter, to enroll name of Mrs. Alma Colville Bender on Remembrance Book, Ill..... | 50.00 |
| John Wallace Chapter, Ind..... | 10.00 |
| Cedar Falls Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| De Shon Chapter, Ia..... | 10.00 |
| Mary Marion Chapter, Ia..... | 5.00 |
| John Eager Howard Chapter, Md..... | 10.00 |
| Attleboro Chapter, Mass..... | 10.00 |

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| Michigan Chapters, Mich..... | 120.00 |
| Miss Mary E. Hale, Carrollton Chapter, Mo..... | 1.00 |
| Nancy Hunter Chapter, Mo..... | 10.00 |
| Roger Nelson Chapter, Mo..... | 5.00 |
| Virginia Daughters Chapter, Penny a Day, no certificates Mo..... | 12.00 |
| Elizabeth Montague Chapter, Neb..... | 100.00 |
| Pawnee Chapter, Penny a Day, Neb..... | 3.65 |
| Abigail Webster Chapter, N. H..... | 5.00 |
| Elsa Cilley Chapter, N. H..... | 5.00 |
| Matthew Thornton Chapter, N. H..... | 25.00 |
| Rumford Chapter, N. H..... | 25.00 |
| Sally Plumer Chapter, N. H..... | 3.00 |
| Camp Middlebrook Chapter, N. J..... | 10.00 |
| Nova Caesarea Chapter, to enroll name of Mrs. Jonathan Huntington on Remembrance Book, N. J..... | 50.00 |
| Johnstown Chapter, N. Y..... | 50.00 |
| Quassaick Chapter, N. Y..... | 25.00 |
| Miss Ida C. LeRoy, Quassaick Chapter, in memory of her father, Jeremiah E. LeRoy, N. Y..... | 10.00 |
| Ticonderoga Chapter, N. Y..... | 10.00 |
| Dolly Todd Madison Chapter, Ohio..... | 10.00 |
| Joseph Spencer Chapter, Ohio..... | 25.00 |
| Nathaniel Massie Chapter, Ohio..... | 10.00 |
| Oklahoma City Chapter, Okla..... | 25.00 |
| Mary Isham Keith Chapter, Tex..... | 25.00 |
| Pocahontas Chapter, Tex..... | 7.50 |
| Alleghany Chapter, Va..... | 12.50 |
| Eastern Shore of Virginia Chapter, Va..... | 5.50 |
| Frances Bland Randolph Chapter, Room, Va..... | 10.00 |
| Great Bridge Chapter, Va..... | 25.00 |
| Great Bridge Chapter, Bust, Va..... | 5.00 |
| Joseph Hedges Chapter, Va..... | 3.75 |
| Massanutton Chapter, Va..... | 11.00 |
| Patrick Henry Chapter, Va..... | 10.00 |
| Narcissa Whitman Chapter, Wash..... | 3.50 |
| Virginia Dare Chapter, Wash..... | 6.25 |
| Philippines Chapter, P. I..... | 12.50 |

4,223.30

Christmas Offerings:

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| Encinitas Chapter, Cal..... | \$5.00 |
| Sequoia Chapter, Cal..... | 8.00 |
| Centennial State Chapter, Colo..... | .25 |
| Namaqua Chapter, Colo..... | 4.00 |
| Nathan Hale Memorial Chapter, Conn..... | 7.30 |
| Colonel Haslet Chapter, Del..... | 3.75 |
| Columbia Chapter, D. C..... | 7.50 |
| Elizabeth Jackson Chapter, D. C..... | 1.50 |
| General Stephen Moylan Chapter, D. C..... | 2.25 |
| Lucy Holcombe Chapter, D. C..... | 4.00 |
| Martha Washington Chapter, D. C..... | 4.00 |
| Patriots' Memorial Chapter, D. C..... | 3.00 |
| Sarah Franklin Chapter, D. C..... | .25 |
| Miss Agnes Bartlett Bryan, Gov. Thos. Welles Society, C. A. R., D. C..... | 1.00 |
| De Soto Chapter, Fla..... | 12.50 |
| George Walton Chapter, Ga..... | 10.00 |
| Matthew Talbot Chapter, Ga..... | 4.25 |
| William Donaldson Chapter, Ind..... | 3.75 |
| Mrs. Martha H. Horne, Keokuk Chapter, Ia..... | .25 |
| New Orleans Chapter, La..... | 9.25 |
| Mrs. Joseph E. Ransdell, Shreveport 1776-1908 Chapter, La..... | .25 |
| Spirit of '76 Chapter, La..... | 13.15 |
| Frances Dighton Williams Chapter, Me..... | 8.00 |
| Col. Thomas Lothrop Chapter, Mass..... | 3.75 |
| Deborah Wheelock Chapter, Mass..... | 15.75 |
| Fort Phoenix Chapter, Mass..... | 6.00 |
| Nemasket Chapter, Mass..... | 20.00 |
| Battle Creek Chapter, Mich..... | 11.75 |

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| Elijah Grout Chapter, Mich..... | 10.00 |
| Ottawawa Chapter, Mich..... | 5.00 |
| Shiawassee Chapter, Mich..... | 5.00 |
| Charter Oak Chapter, Minn..... | 10.00 |
| Elizabeth Benton Chapter, Mo..... | 22.00 |
| Hannah Jack Chapter, Mo..... | 10.00 |
| Mexico-Missouri Chapter, Mo..... | .50 |
| Olive Prindle Chapter, Mo..... | 7.50 |
| Ruth Page Chapter, N. H..... | 6.25 |
| Orange Mountain Chapter, N. J..... | 4.00 |
| Blooming Grove Chapter, N. Y..... | 35.00 |
| Bronx Chapter, N. Y..... | 2.75 |
| Cayuga Chapter, N. Y..... | 8.25 |
| Deo-on-go-wa Chapter, N. Y..... | 6.25 |
| Fort Greene Chapter, N. Y..... | 25.00 |
| Keskeskick Chapter, N. Y..... | .35 |
| Mahwenawasigh Chapter, N. Y..... | .75 |
| Women of '76 Chapter, N. Y..... | .50 |
| David Williams Chapter, N. C..... | 1.00 |
| Fort Industry Chapter, Ohio..... | 4.50 |
| Fort McArthur Chapter, Ohio..... | 6.75 |
| Toledo Chapter, Ohio..... | 3.50 |
| Ursula Wolcott Chapter, Ohio..... | 50.00 |
| Canonsburg Chapter, Pa..... | 5.00 |
| Pittsburgh Chapter, Pa..... | 50.00 |
| Queen Alliquippa Chapter, Pa..... | 2.25 |
| Capt. William Edmiston Chapter, Tenn..... | 3.25 |
| Mrs. R. E. Donnell, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn..... | .25 |
| Mrs. E. A. Price, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn..... | .25 |
| Mrs. A. M. Shook, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn..... | .25 |
| Mrs. M. L. H. Hicks, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn..... | .25 |
| Esther McCrory Chapter, Tex..... | 10.00 |
| George Washington Chapter, Tex..... | .75 |
| Spirit of Liberty Chapter, Utah..... | 6.00 |
| Montpelier Chapter, Va..... | 5.75 |
| Northampton County Chapter, Va..... | 10.00 |
| Mary Ball Chapter, Wash..... | 6.25 |
| Marcus Whitman Chapter, Wash..... | 4.05 |
| Narcissa Whitman Chapter, Wash..... | 3.60 |
| Robert Gray Chapter, Wash..... | 4.50 |
| Daniel Davisson Chapter, W. Va..... | 5.00 |
| Marshfield Chapter, Wisc..... | 6.75 |
| Jacques Laramie Chapter, Wyo..... | 2.25 |
| Members at Large | 28.23 |

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Silver Shower:

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| Putnam Hill Chapter, Conn..... | \$5.00 |
| Col. John Donelson Chapter, D. C..... | 25.00 |
| Continental Dames Chapter, D. C..... | 25.00 |
| Elizabeth Jackson Chapter, D. C..... | 20.00 |
| Emily Nelson Chapter, D. C..... | 25.00 |
| John Hall Chapter, D. C..... | 7.00 |
| Keystone Chapter, D. C..... | 15.00 |
| Potomac Chapter, D. C..... | 20.00 |
| Richard Arnold Chapter, D. C..... | 1.00 |
| Ruth Brewster Chapter, D. C..... | 35.00 |
| Cora Stickney Harper Chapter, Fla..... | 10.10 |
| De Soto Chapter, Fla..... | 9.65 |
| Atlanta Chapter, Ga..... | 5.50 |
| John Benson Chapter, Ga..... | 1.00 |
| Mrs. Fannie B. Nelson, Chicago Chapter, Ill..... | 1.00 |
| Benjamin Lincoln Chapter, Mass..... | 1.50 |
| Lydia Darrah Chapter, Mass..... | 5.00 |
| Old Concord Chapter, Mass..... | 5.00 |
| Petosega Chapter, Mich..... | 10.00 |
| Minneapolis Chapter, Minn..... | 10.00 |
| Montezuma Chapter, Nev..... | 5.50 |
| Matthew Thornton Chapter, N. H..... | 5.50 |
| Boudinot Chapter, N. J..... | 10.00 |
| Eagle Rock Chapter, N. J..... | 25.00 |

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| Gen. David Forman Chapter, N. J..... | 27.00 |
| Gen. Washington Chapter, N. J..... | 9.00 |
| Baron Steuben Chapter, N. Y..... | 3.05 |
| Captain Christian Brown Chapter, N. Y..... | 10.00 |
| Champlain Chapter, N. Y..... | 6.55 |
| Cunahunta Chapter, N. Y..... | 6.50 |
| Ganowauges Chapter, N. Y..... | 5.00 |
| General James Clinton Chapter, N. Y..... | 7.20 |
| James Madison Chapter, N. Y..... | 5.00 |
| Jane McCrea Chapter, N. Y..... | 27.50 |
| Lowville Chapter, N. Y..... | 10.15 |
| Major Benjamin Bosworth Chapter, N. Y..... | 10.00 |
| Ondawa-Cambridge Chapter, N. Y..... | 25.00 |
| Owahgena Chapter, N. Y..... | 10.00 |
| Seneca Chapter, N. Y..... | 1.50 |
| Skenandoah Chapter, N. Y..... | 2.00 |
| Tuscarora Chapter, N. Y..... | 11.25 |
| Guilford Battle Chapter, N. C..... | 2.00 |
| Jonathan Dayton Chapter, Ohio..... | 25.00 |
| Chester County Chapter, Pa..... | 7.00 |
| Dial Rock Chapter, Pa..... | 10.50 |
| Donegal Chapter, Pa..... | 10.00 |
| Gettysburg Chapter, Pa..... | 5.00 |
| Valley Forge Chapter, Pa..... | 12.75 |
| Mrs. Mary E. C. Bowen, State regent, R. I..... | 5.00 |
| Narragansett Chapter, R. I..... | 5.00 |
| Elijah Paine Chapter, Vt..... | 5.00 |
| Alleghany Chapter, Va..... | 1.00 |

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Contributions for Purchase of Land:

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| Ex-Governor Frank B. Weeks, Conn..... | \$1.25 |
| Mrs. George C. Hall, State regent, Del..... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. John M. Harvey, Caesar Rodney Chapter, Del... | 1.25 |
| Through Mrs. W. C. Story, Del..... | 1.25 |
| Army and Navy Chapter, D. C..... | 2.00 |
| Columbia Chapter, D. C..... | 12.50 |
| Mrs. M. E. Denham, Constitution Chapter, D. C..... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. Priscilla Ellsworth, Constitution Chapter, D. C. | 1.25 |
| Mrs. Cora E. Fuller, Constitution Chapter, D. C... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. Rachel M. McPherson, Constitution Chap., D. C. | 1.25 |
| Continental Chapter, in memory of Misses Pauline H. Bristow & Adaline R. Graham, D. C..... | 10.00 |
| Mrs. John D. Carmody, Continental Chapter, in mem- ory of Mrs. Alice M. Fulton, D. C..... | 5.00 |
| Mrs. James McNabb, Dolly Madison Chapter, D. C. | 1.25 |
| Mrs. E. Kathleen Gillett, Elizabeth Jackson Chapter, D. C. | 1.25 |
| Miss Emma F. Hoopes, Elizabeth Jackson Chap., D. C. | 1.25 |
| John Hall Chapter, D. C..... | 5.00 |
| Louisa Adams Chapter, D. C..... | 2.50 |
| Mrs. Edward Roome, Louisa Adams Chapter, D. C... | 1.25 |
| Miss Marion White, Louisa Adams Chapter, D. C... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. Margaret M. Berry, Maj. William Overton Callis Chapter, D. C..... | 1.25 |
| Mme. Miriam Ballinger Hiddinga, Manor House Chapter, D. C..... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. Redwood Vandegrift, Margaret Whetten Chap- ter, D. C. | 2.50 |
| Mary Desha Chapter, D. C..... | 12.50 |
| Mrs. Mildred Shinn, Patriots' Memorial Chap., D. C. | 1.25 |
| Richard Arnold Chapter, D. C..... | 2.50 |
| Sarah Franklin Chapter, D. C..... | 2.50 |
| Mrs. Lillian Pike Roome, Thirteen Colonies Chap- ter, D. C..... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. Fannie B. Nelson, Chicago Chapter, Ill..... | 5.00 |
| Mrs. John R. Wilson, Chicago Chapter, Ill..... | 20.00 |
| Independence Pioneers Chapter, Mo..... | 1.25 |
| Roger Nelson Chapter, Mo..... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. John R. Key, Omaha Chapter, Neb..... | 1.25 |
| Mrs. Henry D. Moore, Haddonfield Chapter, N. J.... | 5.00 |

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| Mrs. Wm. D. Sherrerd, Haddonfield Chapter, N. J. | 1.25 | |
| Mrs. Pithian Tatem, Haddonfield Chapter, N. J. | 5.00 | |
| Mrs. William Cumming Story, President General, N. Y. | 1.25 | |
| Bronx Chapter, N. Y. | 2.50 | |
| Oriskany Chapter, N. Y. | 1.25 | |
| Mrs. Richard H. Greene, At Large, N. Y. | 5.00 | |
| Mrs. R. E. Donnell, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn. | 1.25 | |
| Mrs. Margaret L. H. Hicks, Cumberland Chap., Tenn. | 1.25 | |
| Mrs. E. A. Price, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn. | 1.25 | |
| Mrs. A. M. Shook, Cumberland Chapter, Tenn. | 1.25 | |
| Mrs. Albert D. Brockett, Mt. Vernon Chapter, Va. | 1.25 | |
| Rainier Chapter, Wash. | 25.00 | |
| | | 159.50 |
| Commission on: | | |
| Insignia | \$181.10 | |
| Recognition Pins | 38.70 | |
| Shields | 2.00 | |
| Spoons | 48.05 | |
| | | 269.85 |
| Total receipts | | 6,185.28 |
| | | <u>\$11,170.03</u> |
| DISBURSEMENTS. | | |
| Bills Payable | \$10,000.00 | |
| Interest on Bills Payable | 120.14 | |
| Total Disbursements | | 10,120.14 |
| Balance on hand March 31, 1915. | | <u>\$1,049.89</u> |
| Balance—American Security & Trust Co. Bank, March 31, 1915. | | \$1,049.89 |
| Permanent Investment—Chicago & Alton Bonds. | | 2,314.84 |
| Total Permanent Fund—Cash and Investment. | | <u>\$3,364.73</u> |
| Respectfully, | | |
| OLIVE POWELL RANSELL, | | |
| Treasurer General, N. S. D. A. R. | | |
| The Treasurer General also reported: | | |
| Deceased, 82; resigned, 316; dropped, 6; reinstated, 21. | | |

The Treasurer General's report was received as read.

Mrs. Bassett stated that in view of the fact that on Tuesday she would render her report as Historian General to Congress, she would waive the privilege of presenting her report to the Board.

Mrs. Orton made a similar statement with reference to her report as Director General in Charge of the Report to the Smithsonian Institution.

Mrs. Sternberg presented the following report as Librarian General, with the permission of the Board, reading only the totals:

Report of Librarian General.

Madam President General and Members of the National Board of Management:

I have the honor to present the following accessions to library:

BOOKS.

The old burying ground of Fairfield, Connecticut. By Kate E. Perry, Hartford, 1882. Presented by Miss Lorreta B. Perry.

The Norwich Memorial. Annals of Norwich, Connecticut, 1861-1865. Norwich, 1875. Presented by Mrs. Gaius M. Brumbaugh, Registrar General, N. S. D. A. R.

Petitions of the early inhabitants of Kentucky in the General Assembly of Virginia, 1769-1792. James Rood Robertson, Louisville, J. P. Horton & Co., 1914. Filson Club Publications, Number 27. Received from the Filson Club in exchange.

The Fire Lands Pioneer. 21 volumes. Norwalk, Ohio, 1868-1909. Received from The Fire Lands Historical Society in exchange.

Historical register of the officers of the Continental Army. Francis B. Heitman, Washing-

ton, The Rare Book Shop Publishing Co., 1914. Presented by the Army & Navy Chapter.

Manual of North Carolina issued by North Carolina Historical Commission for the use of members of the General Assembly, Session 1915. Compiled and edited by R. D. W. Connor, Raleigh, 1915. Presented by Historical Commission of North Carolina.

Proceedings of the Missouri State Conference, D. A. R., 1914. n. p. n. d. Presented by the Missouri D. A. R.

Proceedings of the Virginia State Conference, D. A. R., 1913, 1914. Presented by Virginia D. A. R., 2 volumes.

Chapter Year Books, containing a collection of the chapter year books of the approved size. Presented. 4 volumes.

Ohio Archaeological and Historical Quarterly, Volume 23. Ohio Archaeological and Historical Society, Columbus, 1914.

South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Magazine, volume 15. South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Society, Charleston, 1914.

Bulletin New York Public Library. Part 1 and 2 of volume 18. New York, 1914.

William and Mary College Quarterly. Lyon G. Tyler, editor. Volume 22, Richmond, 1914.

Maryland Historical Magazine, Volume 9. Maryland Historical Society, Baltimore, 1914. Received from the Maryland Historical Society.

Medford Historical Register (Volume 17). Medford Historical Society, Medford, 1914. Presented by Mrs. Amos G. Draper.

Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine, Volume 45. N. S. D. A. R., Washington, 1914. Presented by the Society.

Lineage Book, N. S. D. A. R., Volume 39. The Society, Washington, 1914. Two copies. Presented by the Society.

Register of the Missouri Sons of the Revolution, 1910-1912. St. Louis, n. d. Received from the Society.

Journals of the Continental Congress, for 1782, Volume 23. Library of Congress publications, Washington, 1914. Received from Library of Congress.

Journals of the Virginia House of Burgesses, 1659-60, 1693. Virginia State Library, Richmond, 1914. Received from Virginia State Library.

State Records of North Carolina. Walter Clark, editor. Volumes 11, 12 and 13. Winston, 1895, 1896.

Record of Connecticut Men in the Revolution, 1775-1783. Hartford, 1899.

History of the County of Hudson, New Jersey. By Charles H. Winfield, New York, 1874.

Early history of Sussex County, New Jersey. By Casper Schaeffer, with Schaeffer notes by W. M. Johnson, Hackensack, 1907.

American and English genealogies in the Library of Congress. M. A. Gilkey, editor, Wash-

ington, 1910. Presented by the Library of Congress.

Recollections of the Ball family of South Carolina and Comingtee Plantation. Anne Simons Deas, 1909. Presented by Alwynn Ball, Jr.

William Anderson and Rebecca Denny and their descendants. Columbia, South Carolina, R. L. Bryan Co., 1914. Presented by Mrs. Ila L. Willson.

History, genealogy and biography of the Molyneux families. Nellia Zada Rice Molyneux, Syracuse, C. W. Bardeen, 1904. Presented by the author.

Memorial of John Slafster. Edmund F. Slafster, Boston, 1869.

The Stockton family of New Jersey and other Stocktons. By Thomas Coates Stockton, Washington, Carnahan Press, 1911. Presented by Millard Fillmore Hudson.

The papers of Archibald D. Murphey. Edited by William Henry Hoyt. Two volumes. Raleigh North Carolina Historical Commission, 1914. The gift of the North Carolina Historical Commission.

Dolly Madison. By Maud Wilder Goodwin, New York, Charles Scribner's Sons, 1897.

Memoirs and letters of Dolly Madison. New York, Houghton, Mifflin and Co., 1886. The last two presented by the Dolly Madison Chapter.

Historical collections of New Jersey. By J. W. Barber and Henry Howe, New York, 1844.

History and Genealogy of Fenwick's Colony (N. J.) By Thomas Showrds. Bridgeton, New Jersey, 1876.

History of Windham, New Hampshire. By Leonard A. Morrison, Boston, 1883.

The history of Georgia, containing brief sketches of the most remarkable events up to the present day (1784). Captain Hugh McCall. Two volumes in one. Reprinted, Atlanta, 1909.

Historical collections of Georgia. By George White, New York, 1855.

Statistics of the State of Georgia. By George White, Savannah, 1849.

Georgia's landmarks, memorials and legends; Volume 2. By Lucian Lamar Knight, Byrd Printing Co., Atlanta, 1914.

History of Camden County, Georgia. By James T. Vocelle, 1914.

Early settlers of Alabama by James Edmonds Saunders, with notes and genealogies by his granddaughter, Elizabeth Saunders. Blair Stubbs, New Orleans, 1899.

Colonial and Revolutionary history of Upper South Carolina. J. B. O. Landrum.

History of Edgefield County from the earliest settlements to 1897. By John A. Chapman, Newberry, 1897.

Register of St. Philip's Parish, Charles Town, South Carolina, 1720-1758. By A. S. Salley, Jr., Charleston, Walker, Evans and Cogswell Co., 1904.

History of Spartanburg County. By J. B. O. Landrum, Atlanta, 1900. The last ten volumes presented by the Georgia "Daughters" for the "Emily Hendree Park Memorial."

Gazetteer and business directory of Cayuga County, New York. By Hamilton Child, Syracuse, 1868.

Cortland County and the Border Wars of New York. By H. C. Goodwin. New York, 1859.

Genealogical history of Dutchess County, New York, 1609-1876. By Philip H. Smith, Pawling, 1877.

History of the city of New York. By David Valentine, New York, 1833.

Documentary history of the State of New York. By E. B. O'Callaghan, Volume 3, 1851.

History of the county of Westchester, New York. By Robert Bolton, Jr. Two volumes. New York, 1848.

Early Long Island. A Colonial Study. By Martha Bockee Flint, New York, 1896.

Early Connecticut marriages as found on ancient church records prior to 1800. By Frederick W. Bailey. Volume 4, New Haven, 1899.

Bouton-Boughton family, descendants of John Bouton. By James Boughton, Albany, 1890. The last ten volumes presented by Mrs. Harriet E. B. Blodgett, who sent at the same time four scrap books of genealogical newspaper clippings, one in manuscript of family data, and eight numbers of the D. A. R. Magazine.

D. A. R. Directory, 1896 & 1895. Two copies of each. Presented by D. Anita Newcomb McGee.

Photograph of Dr. James L. Cogswell, who called first meeting of Sons of Revolutionary Sires in San Francisco in 1876. Presented by T. A. Perkins, Secretary and Registrar of California Society, S. A. R.

PAMPHLETS.

Early settlers of New Amsterdam. By Annie Arnoux Haxtun. Pamphlet IV. Reprint from the Mail and Express, New York, 1903.

Genealogical notes. Descendants of Thomas Broune of Concord, Massachusetts. By Goodwin Brown, New York, Martin B. Brown, 1901. The above two presented by Mrs. Harriet E. B. Blodgett.

Some Revolutionary soldiers of Antrim, New Hampshire. Collected and arranged by Helen S. Burnham and Mary J. Wilkinson. 19 pages. Presented by Molly Aiken Chapter, Antrim, New Hampshire.

New York State Year Book, 1914-1915. D. A. R. n. p., 1915. Presented by the New York "Daughters."

Report of the Daughters of the Cincinnati at their annual meeting, January 29, 1915. New York, 1915. Presented by the Society.

Schenectady County Historical Society Year Book, 1913-1914. Schenectady, 1914. Presented by the Society.

Address delivered on the 138th anniversary

of the Battle of Fort Washington at St. Paul's Chapel, Trinity Parish, New York. By Rev. William Montague Geer, for Fort Washington Chapter, D. A. R., 1914. Presented by Mrs. Thomas H. Boorman.

Proceedings of the Vermont D. A. R. State Conference, 1915. Presented by Mrs. Robert F. Hazen.

Collection of American insignia in the cabinet of American Numismatic Society. By Bauman I. Belden, 1909. Presented by Mrs. Amos G. Draper.

Thomas Paine. By William Henry Burr. n. p. n. d. Presented by Robert A. Smith.

Moffatana Bulletin, February, 1915. An occasional publication of the Clan Moffat in America. George West Moffat, editor. Lawrence, Kansas, 1915. Presented by the clan.

Report of the 10th annual reunion, September, 1914, of the Society of the Descendants of Henry Wolcott. n. p. n. d. Presented by the Society.

Annapolis. History of the ancient city and its public buildings. By Oswald Tilghman. n. p. n. d. Presented by Mrs. George W. Hodges.

PERIODICALS.

D. A. R. Magazine. March.

Illinois State University Quarterly. October. *Magazine of History.* October, November and December.

Maryland Historical Magazine. March.

Mayflower Descendants. October.

National Genealogical Society Magazine. April.

New York Public Library Bulletin. February and March.

Ohio Archaeological and Historical Quarterly. January.

Patriotic Marylander. March.

The above list includes 75 books, 13 pamphlets, and 12 periodicals. Forty-five books were presented, 30 received in exchange and 13 purchased. Thirteen pamphlets were presented and 5 bookplates.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. George M.) M. L. STERNBERG,
Librarian General.

On motion, duly seconded, the report was accepted. Mrs. Maupin presented to the Library, through the Fairfax County Chapter, the book entitled *Ancestry and Descendants of Col. Daniel Wells*, a pamphlet on the Carpenter Family, and a Branch of the Sherman Family, compiled by Frank Dempster Sherman, and presented by him through the chapter. Mrs. Sternberg accepted the gifts on behalf of the National Society and thanked the Virginia State regent and the chapters for their interest in the Library.

The report of the Finance Committee was then read by Mrs. Sternberg, a reference to

the early history being ruled out of order by the President General as being a matter that had been settled by Congress, and therefore omitted from the report.

Report of Finance Committee.

At the meeting of the Finance Committee, held on Monday, April 12th, the following business was presented for consideration:

The minutes of the meeting of March 16th were read and corrections asked for.

The chair presented some letters, also an itemized bill from Mrs. Dunning, Chairman of the National Committee on Patriotic Education. She requested that Mrs. Dunning be sent the remainder of the sum that she is entitled to, to finish paying her bills, before making her report to the Congress. Sum amounted to \$98.38. This was discussed and referred to the Executive Committee. The bill and the letter were presented to that committee, and the entire matter was returned to the Finance Committee and the Chairman requested to present this matter to the Board. I recommend this \$98.38 be sent to Mrs. Dunning. She has been doing splendid work and has been using her own money to pay some of the bills incurred.

A letter and a number of receipted bills came from Miss Gentry, asking that she be sent \$16.94 to finish paying her indebtedness. This was also referred to the Executive Committee and returned to the Finance Committee. After some discussion a motion was made in the Finance Committee to the effect that the expenses of the Old Trails Road Committee be paid, provided sufficient money remains out of the one hundred dollars ruled by the Board to cover "necessary expenses of such committees." As this amount is very small, I recommend this \$16.94 be sent to the Chairman of the Old Trails Road to finish paying her indebtedness.

Mrs. Ludlow, Chairman of the House Committee for the Twenty-fourth Continental Congress, asked for an appropriation for the House Committee's expenses. She stated that the sum of \$500.00 had usually been appropriated for the work of this committee. This also went to the Executive Committee and was referred back to the Finance Committee with the request that the Chairman of the Finance Committee recommend this appropriation for the expenses of the House Committee for the Congress. I therefore ask that this appropriation be granted. Mrs. Ludlow asked also that an appropriation of \$50.00 be given the House Committee to be used for temporary expenses for the Congress. It was moved and carried that she be given this \$50.00, the same to be taken out of the \$500.00.

Mrs. Ludlow asked to be authorized to purchase a typewriter by giving an old one as part payment in exchange and \$41.00 in cash.

I recommend this purchase to the Board as necessary and important.

Three additional bills were referred from the Executive Committee to the Finance Committee. One, dated March 1, 1915: To professional services from Mr. T. M. Melliss of New York. In the matter charges of Boudinot Chapter, D. A. R., against Mrs. Nelson L. Pollard, filed with the National Board of Management; examining the same and attending hearing before the Board of Management, February 17, 1915. From Feb. 1, 1915, to date, \$75.00.

Mr. Norman T. M. Melliss, New York. To professional services from Feb. 1, 1915, to date, March 14. In the matter of charges made by Mrs. Amos G. Draper, and two other members of the National Society, D. A. R., against Mrs. Will C. Barnes, filed with the National Board of Management on January 25, 1915; examining the same; conferences with officers; and attending trial before the Board of Management on February 17, 1915, \$100.00.

Mr. Norman T. M. Melliss. To professional services from Feb. 1, 1915, to March 1, 1915. In the matter of the charges of the officers and members of the Onondaga Chapter, D. A. R., filed with the National Board of Management against Anna Ingersoll Rich; conferences in Washington with counsel for Onondaga Chapter on Feb. 17th and 18th, examining injunction orders served on the Board of Management in the action, commenced in the Supreme Court of New York by Mrs. Rich, to restrain the National Society, D. A. R., from hearing said charges; and attending before the Board of Management in this matter on February 17, 1915, \$100.00.

These bills were referred to the Finance Committee from the Executive Committee. As Chairman of the Finance Committee I present them and recommend they be paid.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. George M.) M. L. STERNBERG.

Chairman Finance Committee.

Vouchers have been approved by the Chairman during the months of February and March, 1915, to the amount of \$17,447.70. The largest items of this amount being:

Pay Roll:

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| Clerical | \$4,720.77 | |
| Stenographic and clerical services to the President General and Committees | 386.90 | \$5,107.67 |
| Employees of Hall, including extra service for Auditorium events | | 999.25 |
| DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION MAGAZINE, salaries of Editors and expenses of publication | | 2,067.00 |

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| Red Cross | 1,133.01 | |
| Belgian Relief | 539.60 | |
| | | 1,672.61 |
| Patriotic Education | | 1,284.00 |
| Postage, including stamped envelopes for National Officers, State Regents and Committees | | 1,017.39 |
| Real Daughters' Support.. | 784.00 | |
| Moved by Mrs. Dinwiddie, seconded by Mrs. Gedney, and carried, <i>that the report of Mrs. Sternberg, Chairman of Finance, be accepted with recommendations.</i> | | |

The report of the Auditing Committee was presented by Mrs. Greenawalt:

Report of Auditing Committee.

Madam President General, Members of the National Board of Management:

The Auditing Committee has the honor to report that we have held the usual meetings and have examined the reports of the Auditor, which have been received and placed on file. We are happy to inform you that the Treasurer General's books and Annual Report have been audited and that the Auditor states that all money is accounted for and that the Annual Report of the Treasurer General, which is now in the hands of the printer, is correct and agrees with the books.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs. Frank Foster) MAUD L. GREENAWALT,
Chairman Auditing Committee.

Moved by Mrs. Tarbell, seconded by Mrs. Gray, and carried, *that the report of the Auditing Committee be adopted.*

The statement was made that the Building and Grounds Committee had no report to make at that time.

Mrs. Smallwood, as Chairman of the Committee on Statistics, stated that it had been impossible to perfect the report in time to present at the Congress as it was not known to the Committee whether the State regents had included in the amounts reported as having been expended the gifts to Memorial Continental Hall (it being the intention of the Committee to get these amounts for gifts directly from the office of the Treasurer General). In the discussion which followed it developed that many of the State reports were not complete, and it was, therefore, moved by Mrs. Salisbury, seconded by Mrs. Day, and carried, *that the printing of report of work done from organization up to April 1, 1914, asked for by Mrs. Smallwood, be held over another year and that every State regent do her best to see that a correct report be sent in, with the further motion by Mrs. Salisbury, seconded by Mrs. Smallwood, and carried, that is is understood that "holding over for one year" means the report to April 1, 1915, which is 25 years of work.*

Mrs. Dearborn, as Chairman of Revolutionary Relics Committee, stated she had no formal report to make, but, in accordance with the suggestion of one of the members of the Board, she would incorporate in her report to Congress some recommendations that her knowledge of the needs of the Museum had suggested.

Mrs. Kite told of a log cabin in Hamilton, Ohio, on the banks of the Miami River, which, during the war of 1812, was called the powder magazine house; that the little chapter of the town finally succeeded in raising \$1,600 to purchase for use as a chapter house, and in which they had many valuable relics and other documents, among them their charter—that during the terrible flood of two years ago the chapter house was swept away and everything contained therein lost. Mrs. Kite had been requested to ask the Board to grant a new charter, since the old one was lost through no carelessness of the chapter. It was, therefore, moved by Mrs. Kite, seconded by Mrs. Orton, Mrs. Hamilton, and Mrs. Mann, *that a new charter be given John Kelly Chapter, of Hamilton, Ohio, the former one having been destroyed by the flood of 1913.* There being a general desire on the part of the members to second this motion, it was unanimously carried by a rising vote.

Mrs. Squires referred to the serious illness of a Real Daughter, who was much beloved by Minnesota, a member of the St. Paul Chapter, and moved that *this Board send a night letter to Mrs. Jerusha Brown, a Real Daughter, in St. Paul, expressing our love and greeting to her.* This was seconded by Mrs. Davis and carried.

The President General announced that she had appointed Mrs. Frank R. McMullin of the Chicago Chapter one of the representatives of the National Society to the International Peace Conference meeting in April at The Hague.

At 12:56 it was moved to take a recess for luncheon until 2 p. m.

The afternoon session was called to order by the President General at 2:35. The Registrar General presented the following supplementary report:

Supplementary Report of Registrar General.

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| Applications presented to the Board..... | 27 |
| | 1,186 |
| Total | 1,213 |
| CATHERIN E. B. BRUMBAUGH, Registrar General. | |

The acceptance of this supplementary report of the Registrar General was moved by Mrs. Tarbell, seconded by Mrs. Maupin, and carried, and the Secretary cast the ballot for the 27 additional members, the President General declaring these members elected.

Mrs. Allen, State regent of Utah, read the following letter:

National Congress of Mothers Committee on Marriage Sanctity.

Mrs. Clarence E. Allen, Chairman,
929 First Avenue, Salt Lake City, Utah.
March 13, 1915.

Mrs. William C. Story,
President General,
Daughters of the American Revolution.
Madam President General:

I wish to make an earnest request of the Board of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution to be prepared to meet the tide of marriage deterioration which is sweeping over the country. Polygamy and trial marriage are gaining adherents throughout the land. Here in Utah the pressure is strong to admit polygamous lineage in revolutionary line. The Daughters of the Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution have already many members admitted through polygamous lineage.

The National Society Daughters of the American Revolution could become a powerful factor for righteousness and social purity by a stand of this kind. A simple and effective act, which would do away with the necessity of anything further in the General Assembly, would be the insertion of the word "lawful" in applications for membership, as "I am the daughter of and his lawful wife."

There is no doubt that the membership of the Daughters of the American Revolution are overwhelmingly in favor of standing by the laws of the land on the subject of marriage, but with the encroachments of defective moral teaching the time may come when action will be imperatively needed to protect the Christian ideal of marriage. It will be far easier to be prepared for this by a decided stand at this time rather than to wait for controversies over individual memberships, which will be sure to occur.

As a former State regent and attendant on your Board for two years, I take the deepest interest in your activities.

With the hope that all your deliberations may redound to our country's good,

Very sincerely,

(Signed)

(Mrs. Clarence E.) CORINNE E. ALLEN.

The above meets with my full consent and earnest endorsement.

(Signed)

MARY M. F. ALLEN.
State regent for Utah.

Mrs. Allen stated that the letter had been sent her a month before, and as she did not expect to be present she had returned it to Mrs. Corinne E. Allen, but she was urged to come to present the matter to the Board and

therefore had come. Mrs. Allen read also the following letter:

Mrs. Seth Warner Morrison,
32 South 7th East, Salt Lake City, Utah.
April 10, 1915.

Mrs. C. S. Shawhan,
National Chairman, Committee on Welfare of Women and Children, N. S. D. A. R.

Dear Mrs. Shawhan:

Owing to the fact that our chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has refused to admit those of polygamous lineage to its membership, we have no influence with Utah legislators, and do not attempt to influence them. However, the work that we do in making a stand for the sanctity of marriage is important in its bearing on the welfare of women and children and should be counted as such.

The recommendation has recently been made by Mrs. C. E. Allen, formerly State regent of Utah, to the National Board of the Daughters of the American Revolution, that the word "lawful" be inserted in the application papers of the D. A. R. in this manner:

"I am the daughter of and his lawful wife."

This would forever define the position of the Daughters of the American Revolution as to monogamous marriage.

The question of individuals of polygamous lineage coming for membership in the D. A. R. is not now before you, but soon may be. The Mormon Church has a genealogical department, the first purpose of which is baptizing for the dead; the secondary purpose to trace the lineage of leading Mormons to distinguished ancestors in order to give them the prestige belonging to this ancestry and a place in genealogical societies.

The Sons of the American Revolution and Daughters of the Revolution already admit those of polygamous lineage to their membership, a precedent to be deplored, since thereby they repudiate the principles of monogamous marriage. The polygamous Mormons have numerous progeny, which are scattered throughout the country, particularly in the Western States, and many of these will desire to join so great and influential a body as the Daughters of the American Revolution. Every application paper from the Western States should be carefully scrutinized, so that our Order may not unconsciously give sanction to irregular marriage customs. It would be easier to deal with the question now, in general, than later in regard to individuals. The simple use of this word "lawful" with respect to marriage would make definite and tangible the idea that every Daughter now has, with respect to marriage. They have a statute refusing to admit those who practice, believe in, or condone polygamy. But these precedents

are likely to be forgotten and become disused in time. The insertion of the word "lawful" in application papers would keep the idea of monogamous marriage constantly in view, and help to re-establish our threatened domestic institutions. In the hope that your committee will give this matter your approval,

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed)

(Mrs. S. W.) FANNIE P. MORRISON.

After some discussion and various suggestions it was moved by Mrs. Lockwood to insert the words "legal and lawful" in all applications for membership, so that the application will read, "I am the daughter of his legal and lawful wife," and that this insertion be maintained through the line to the original ancestor. Unanimously seconded by the Board. After some further debate the motion was carried by a unanimous rising vote.

Mrs. Squier, as Honorary Chairman of the Insignia Committee, showed to the President General and the members of the Board the badge which was to be presented to the President General at the opening session of the 24th Continental Congress, and recommended from the Insignia Committee that one of the special pins which will remain the property of the President General at the end of her term of office be presented to each of the former Presidents General. Moved by Mrs. Maupin, seconded by Mrs. Brumbaugh, Mrs. Bassett, and Mrs. Mann, and carried, that the recommendation of the Insignia Committee be conveyed to Congress by this Board.

Mrs. Goldsborough, Chairman of Transportation Committee, appeared before the Board to ask for instruction with regard to the distribution of campaign literature at the Union Station, for which the Superintendent of the Station was holding her Committee responsible, as permission had only been given the Transportation Committee to distribute railroad literature at the booth, and everything that was being distributed from that booth was the two folders regarding the tours to the Coast. After some further discussion it was moved by Mrs. Tarbell, seconded by Mrs. Maupin, and carried, that the distribution of campaign literature at the station and other public places be censured by this Board and that the Chairman and the Committee on Transportation be exonerated from any share in such distribution and supported in their efforts to suppress it.

Mrs. E. C. Gregory, as Chairman of the Committee on Preservation of John Paul Jones Home, presented the following report:

Report of Committee on Preservation of John Paul Jones Home.

Madam President and Daughters:

It is my great privilege and honor to pre-

sent to you the report of your important Committee on "Preservation and Restoration of the John Paul Jones Home," at Halifax, North Carolina.

During the greater part of the three years next prior to the American Revolution John Paul lived with the Honorable Willie Jones at the latter's residence, known as "The Grove," in the town of Halifax on Roanoke River. It was in appreciation of the great kindness of Willie Jones and his cultured family, that John Paul then assumed the name of Jones. It was through the influence of Willie Jones that he received his first commission as a Lieutenant in the United States Navy.

Halifax is one of the oldest towns in America. For nearly two centuries it has been noted for its culture and refinement. It is easily accessible to all parts of the country, being situate on the main line of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad and near the Seaboard Air Line. It is six hours from Washington, and is about midway between Maine and Florida. Its climate is temperate, delightful and healthful. Its soil is fertile and highly productive of all vegetables and fruits, and is splendidly adapted for the growth of cotton, corn, oats, peanuts, forage crops, etc.

Taking into consideration all these facts and the fact of its national historic interest as the training home of the founder of our navy, this Committee, following the suggestion originated by the Patriots Memorial Chapter, is of the opinion that "The Grove" is an ideal location for a D. A. R. Patriots Memorial School. And this Committee now recommends to the National Society that it found and establish on this home a school for the education and training of descendants of Daughters of the American Revolution from all sections of our common country.

As a result of your Committee's efforts, the Legislature of North Carolina last month unanimously voted an appropriation of \$3,500 for a D. A. R. school on this home. The North Carolina D. A. R. Conference last November voted to purchase the mansion and the three acres surrounding it, to be donated to the National Society, provided the latter would accept, restore and maintain it. A deed for same has been delivered to Trustees to hold, subject to your acceptance. The County of Halifax has agreed to donate to this school, if established by you, 50 acres adjoining the mansion. And patriotic citizens are offering an additional 50 acres, making a total of 100 contiguous acres. These are deemed sufficient for the school; but if more acres are required, they can be procured. The County Commissioners of Halifax County offer the sum of \$10,000 (ten thousand dollars).

Madam President, the investigation of this

subject has kindled the flames of patriotism in the hearts of your Committee. The work has been an inspiration, indeed. We can conceive of no greater material good this Society can now do than to found and maintain this school. After it is established, it can be made almost self-sustaining by sales of early vegetables and crops to be raised on it.

The large number of letters from Daughters from all sections of our country, letters glowing with interest and enthusiasm, demonstrate that there is a determination on the part of the Daughters to lift the shadow that rests upon this great organization so long as it neglects this precious historic shrine, the Grove House. Is there a Daughter present who does not deem it a sacred duty and glorious privilege to aid in this great patriotic work? In restoring this home of John Paul Jones, one of the greatest of our naval heroes, are we not gloriously living up to the highest ideals of our society? Are we not carrying out to the letter the objects of our institution? This home should belong to the nation. Is there one D. A. R. here to-day who does not feel personal interest in sharing in the noble work of restoring this historic mansion? Daughters, this is your work. Each one of you is personally responsible. Let's grasp this opportunity. Let there be no delay to accept this property and to found this school! What a perfect tribute this will be to the founder of our splendid navy—the brave, redoubtable United States Admiral, John Paul Jones.

Mrs. Smallwood followed this report with a statement showing how the work of her Committee on Patriots Memorial School fell together with the work of the Committee on the Preservation of the John Paul Jones Home, and gave briefly some of the advantages of acquiring the site and the establishment of such a school, also mentioning some of the other propositions made to her Committee by other sections, none of which offered as great inducements as those offered by North Carolina. After considerable discussion, and the presentation by other members of the Board of other propositions, it was moved by Mrs. Hogan, seconded by Mrs. Bassett, and carried, that this Board recommend to Congress that we accept the offer of North Carolina of the John Paul Jones property for our Patriots Memorial School.

The Treasurer General presented the request of a member for reinstatement, and on motion of Mrs. Kite, seconded by Mrs. Buel, it was carried that the lady bearing number 95 be reinstated.

Mrs. Maupin, Chairman of Printing Committee, then presented her report:

Report of Printing Committee.

February 15 to April 17, 1915.

Orders for printing filled outside the building since Feb. 15, 1915.

No. 2019. 500 petty cash vouchers.

No. 2022. 1440 postal card notices about Hand Book, for Recording Secretary General.

No. 2040. 12 recognition pin permit books; 24 bar permit books; 24 badge permit books.

No. 2060. 100 cards (box cards); 25 envelopes to match.

No. 2061. Tickets for auditorium for 24th Congress.

No. 2064. 6 bill books, Form No. 26, for Treasurer General.

No. 2065. 200 engraved invitation cards (Smithsonian Reception); 50 small printed cards; 200 envelopes for invitations, for Reception Committee.

No. 2066. 100 cards for boxes, 100 envelopes to match, supplement to order No. 2060.

No. 2074. 2,000 information leaflets for 24th Congress.

No. 2077. Additional seats for 24th Congress.

Orders for printing filed in the building since Feb. 15, 1915:

No. 47. 500 postal notices, for Corresponding Secretary General; 50 letterheads, for Custodian of Flags; 3 boxes letterheads, 200 pages appointment cards, 150 Reception Committee appointment cards, 200 pages letters, for Recording Secretary General; 4 boxes letterheads, for Credential Committee; 1 box letterheads (½ letter sheets), 1 box envelopes, for Secretary of Magazine Committee.

No. 48. 80 postals for Hand Book notices, 300 circular letters, Form No. 38A, for Treasurer General; 50 postals with insignia, for Chairman of Memorial Continental Hall Silver Shower Committee; 125 postal notices, for Transportation Committee.

No. 49. 3,000 notice cards, Form 42, for Registrar General; 1,000 notice cards, Form 43, for Registrar General; 70 cards for Hospitality Committee, 200 cards for House Committee, for Recording Secretary General; 200 sheets letterheads, for Credential Committee; 500 cards of permission to remain in building, for Business Office; 50 letterheads, for House Committee.

No. 50. 290 postal notices, 150 letterheads, for Credential Committee; ½ box letterheads, 60 envelopes for National University Committee; ½ box letterheads, ½ box envelopes with return card, for Program Committee; 1,000 certificate slips, for Certificate Division; 100 Committee appointment cards (24th Congress), for Recording Secretary General.

No. 51. 250 House Committee notice cards.

No. 52. 122 notice cards, for Patriots Me-

morial Committee; 50 notice cards for Organizing Secretary General.

No. 53. 2,000 cards for registration of members; 50 cards for admission to the building.

Moved by Mrs. Sternberg, seconded by Mrs. Greenawalt, and carried, that *the report of the Chairman of the Printing Committee be accepted.*

The Recording Secretary General was handed by the Treasurer General to read to the Board a most touching acknowledgment from one of the Real Daughters for the accumulated pension sent her by the National Society; also a suggestion from a member at large that another twenty-five cent offering be called for by the Treasurer General for the Fourth of July; also a letter from a Pennsylvania Daughter suggesting that each member contribute not less than \$1.00 toward the debt, offering to be the first to start the movement and to head the list with at least \$5.00.

The President General read an interesting letter from Mrs. Lobingier, State regent of the Orient, and referred to a report which had come from the Philippines Chapter and the splendid work that chapter had been doing. Moved by Mrs. Burrows, seconded by Mrs. Lockwood, and carried, that *a letter of congratulation and good will be sent to our Philippines Chapter, also expressing our pleasure in the interesting letter from Mrs. Lobingier.*

The Recording Secretary General stated that she held in her hands letters referring to the Barnes case and the Magruder Chapter matter. Moved by Mrs. Minor and seconded by Mrs. Hamilton, that *we go into executive session to hear the letters.* After some discussion, the motion was carried by a rising vote.

The Board having risen from executive session, it was moved by Mrs. Minor, seconded by Mrs. Kite, and carried, that *the letter regarding the Magruder case be laid upon the table.*

Mrs. Rose, State Regent of Texas, brought up the motion passed by the Board of Management April 27, 1914, stating that it had caused considerable embarrassment in the State inasmuch as the present incumbent (herself) had been confirmed by the Congress, and the State had not asked for another election. Mrs. Smallwood, the mover of the motion, said that the State regent of Texas was quite correct in her statement that the Board had had no desire to interfere in the State of Texas, and that it was the pleasure of the Board she was quite willing to withdraw the motion, and to move to rescind the motion that the State of Texas hold another election for State regent. This was seconded by Mrs. Maupin and carried.

Mrs. Ransdell asked permission to present the following:

Madam President General and National Board of Management:

In the April issue of the Magazine appears

a recommendation in the report of the Building and Grounds Committee relative to the refitting of the dressing room attached to the rostrum. I am amazed that my request to a member of the Building and Grounds Committee was misconstrued, and I regret extremely the great inconvenience to the clerks by the issuance of an order depriving them of the cloak room used by them for the past five years. Had this been a written request (according to a ruling of the Building and Grounds Committee) this misunderstanding would not have occurred. The dressing room used by the Treasurer General's clerks has been prepared for the President General the week of the Congresses and used solely for her and her guests.

In my two years as Treasurer General it has been my desire to contribute as much as possible to the comfort of the clerks who are spending their lives in the service of the National Society. Little did I dream, in making a request that was intended for the comfort of my clerks, that my good intention should have been so distorted that those clerks, complying with the Building and Grounds Committee's request, are now enduring the greatest discomfort that has come to them during the five years occupancy of Memorial Continental Hall. My desire was so great for the comfort of the clerks that I submitted a plan to a member of the Committee for my State to pay for and equip the clerks' lunch room to be known as the "Louisiana Luncheon Room." I asked this member of the Committee to correspond with Mrs. Alexander, of Shreveport, La., regarding it. I am extremely distressed that I should be held responsible for this discomfort, at which every single clerk has justly rebelled. I had only their comfort in mind when making suggestion for changes regarding the refitting of this cloak room.

Now, ladies, I respectfully ask that this honorable body rescind the ruling made under misapprehension, restore to my clerks their cloak room, which may be used also in case of illness for the President General, the National Officers, clerks and visitors.

OLIVE POWELL RANSELL,
Treasurer General.

The President General stated that she had never made use of the room and did not expect to be ill and require the room.

The Recording Secretary General presented the following recommendation from the Executive Committee: *That the Executive Committee recommend to the Board the payment to Miss Young of the salary she lost while away for the funeral of her sister (\$23.59), being the same privilege that was accorded to another clerk under similar circumstances—especially in view of the fact that Miss Young had still 13½ days of sick leave remaining to her credit, which she was too conscientious to*

make use of. Mrs. Boyle; Mrs. Ransdell. On motion duly seconded it was voted to adopt the recommendation of the Executive Committee.

A rising vote of thanks to our President General for her untiring, devoted loyal service to this organization was moved by Mrs. Minor, seconded by Mrs. Orton and numerous others, and unanimously carried. The President General asked Mrs. Minor to take the chair, and expressed her appreciation of the action of the Board and her thanks for the loyalty and co-operation of those who had assisted her in the work during the past two years, and to all those who had served the Society.

Mrs. Salisbury referred to a pin which she had designed for the use of State Regents, which she desired to submit to the Chairman of the Insignia Committee for adoption at the Congress, and moved that this pin be submitted Chairman of Insignia as a design for all State regent pins. Seconded by Mrs. Smallwood and carried.

On motion of Mrs. Hogan, seconded by Mrs. Squires, it was carried that *as there is no record on the minutes of any charge against Mrs. Barnes except that of ineligibility to hold the office of State Vice Regent, as it was decided she was a non-resident of Arizona, therefore we order the Corresponding Secretary to so notify the State Regent of Arizona.*

The President General read the following letter on the subject of the endowment of Washington's old church:

307 South Fourth Avenue,

Ann Arbor, Michigan, April 10, 1915.

Mrs. William Cumming Story, President General of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

DEAR MADAM:

I am addressing you on a subject very dear to the hearts of the members of the Committee having the matter in charge, with the request that you will bring the subject to the attention of the Daughters in council.

The subject is the endowment of Washington's old church, known as "Pohick," the Parish Church of Mount Vernon.

The church has a most interesting history. The original church belonged to Truro Parish, and dated back to 1730. In 1770, when a larger, more substantial church was needed, to meet the wants of the Colonial landed proprietors of the Potomac, George Washington, William Fairfax, and George Mason were the Building Committee who superintended the erection of the present brick and stone church. This church was on the fighting line during three wars—the Revolution, the War of 1812, and the Civil War. It was much worsted by these experiences, particularly

in the Civil War, when it was occupied as a cavalry post, successively, by Union and Confederate troops.

An appeal was sent out a few years ago, to all the patriotic societies in the country, by the Martha Washington Chapter of the D. A. R. of Alexandria, Va., for aid in repairing and restoring Washington's old church. This was generously responded to by Daughters, and Dames, and by the Mount Vernon Association, and the work of restoration was completed about three years ago, at a cost of \$10,000.00. The restoration was made under the Rector, the Rev. Dr. Meade, in a very correct and beautiful way, so the interior of the church, with its square pews, "communion table," and high pulpit and sounding board, is a perfect example of the Colonial style.

Now the problem is the maintenance of the old church. The large land owners, who gave the parish generous support in the old days, have passed away, and their estates are divided up among small farmers. After the death of the Rev. Dr. Meade, more than a year ago, no successor has been found who would accept the office of Rector on the inadequate salary the Vestry could offer. This makes an endowment indispensable for the maintenance of Pohick Church. While the character of the congregation is in a measure changed, the attendance has not diminished, and the need is felt for religious services in the neighborhood. So, for Christian as well as patriotic reasons, the Parish Church of Mount Vernon should be maintained.

We of the Committee would make a strong appeal to the Daughters of the American Revolution to aid us in securing an adequate sum for an endowment of Washington's church, where he worshipped in youth, in manhood, and in old age; that the door of this national shrine may never be closed or its light be extinguished.

I have the honor to be, yours sincerely,
ELIZABETH B. A. RATHBONE,

V. R. for Michigan, Mt. V. L. A.

COMMITTEE ON POHICK CHURCH
ENDOWMENT.

The Rev. Samuel A. Wallis, D. D., Theological Seminary, Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. A. Rathbone, Vice Regent, Mt. Vernon Asso., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Mr. Harrison H. Dodge, Supt., Mt. Vernon—on Potomac—Va.

Mr. Rosewell Page, Richmond, Va.

Col. Robert E. Lee, Ravensworth, Va.

Miss Elizabeth M. Sharpe, Woodlawn, Accotink, Va.

Mrs. Lewis Hertle, Gunston Hall, Gunston, Va.

The President General requested that the Recording Secretary General write Mrs. Rathbone, expressing the interest of the members of the Board, and stating that at the present time our own financial demands are so heavy we can do nothing in the matter.

Mrs. Davis, Chairman of the Committee on Legislation in the United States Congress, reported that the bill had been passed, and signed by the President, permitting the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution to hold property to the value of one million dollars, instead of \$500,000, as provided for in the original charter. Mrs. Davis reported also that because of the short session of Congress it had been impossible to get through any of the other matters that she had had presented, but that she hoped she would be able to report on a great deal in the way of legislation enacted next year.

Mrs. Young, State regent for North Da-

kota, was introduced to the members of the Board as the newest State regent, and Mrs. Keator, State Regent for South Dakota, stated also that this was the first time in the history of the State that South Dakota was represented.

On motion of Mrs. Ransdell, seconded by Mrs. Wallis, it was carried that *this National Board of Management rescind the ruling made under misapprehension, restore to the clerks their cloak room, which may be used also in case of illness, for President General, the National Officers, clerks and visitors.*

The motions as carried were read; there being no objections, the President General stated they would constitute the approved minutes of the meeting.

On motion of Mrs. Burrows, seconded by Mrs. Lockwood, the meeting adjourned at 6.06 p. m.

Respectfully submitted,

ABBIE WILLIAMS R. BOYLE,

Recording Secretary General.



